WEATHER FORECASTS

Victoria and Vicinity—Light to moderate winds; continued fine; stationary or higher temperature.

Vancouver and Vicinity—Continued fine and warm.

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CLOUDBURSTS CLAIM LIVES

Eight Dead and Many Injured Following Downfall in Utah—Towns Swept Out of Existence

DEATH LIST WILL LIKELY BE GREATER

Flood Sweeps Through Peaceful Villages, Creating Torrents Out of Quiet Brooks—Settlers Taken Unawares

SALT LAKE CITY, Aug. 14.—Eight known dead, several persons missing, scores of others injured, and property damage amounting to more than $1,000,000 tonight, was the toll reported in the wake of the cloudbursts which struck towns in Northern Utah last night and early today.

Dawn in the little city of Farmington, near Salt Lake, revealed the devastation wrought by the storm there. Wadington was deep in mud and debris. Rescuers recovered four bodies. Farm lands surrounding the city were inundated. Farm buildings and live stock along the banks of several ditches normally dry, but which swelled last night to proportions of nearly a quarter of a mile wide and many feet deep, were swept down stream when the huge walls of water rolled with startling suddenness, came down on the sleeping farm communities.

Larger Death List

Most of the damage caused by the flood was reported in Box Elder and Weber counties, in the far northern part of the state. Fears that the death list would mount were expressed by railwaymen and others who surveyed the situation.

Two men were reported to have been drowned in a cloudburst at Willard, near Ogden, early today, increasing the death list to ten, but the report could not be confirmed late tonight. Three were drowned at Willard last night. The names of the known dead are:

Arnold Christensen, policeman, died of exhaustion attempting to rescue his daughter from flood waters near Farmington; Willard Langton, aged 17, of Salt Lake City, drowned at Farmington; Mrs. W. J. Wright, of Ogden, drowned at Farmington; Agnew M. Ward, drowned at Willard; Sylvia Ward, 11 years old, drowned at Willard; two boys, unidentified, drowned in Farmington Canyon; Mary Ellen Brewerton Ward, aged 62, of Willard, Utah, killed when water wrecked her home.

Towns Cut Off

Heaps of mud and debris today covered acres of land at Willard, and officials there expressed the belief that several bodies might be found in an exploration of the area.

Four persons in an automobile, last seen being carried down the current near Willard, had not been accounted for today. For more than one mile the state highway near Willard is buried under several feet of debris, and railway tracks have been washed out, virtually isolating that section. Huge timbers, telephone poles and wrecked farm structures were strewn over a wide area.

NOBLEMAN TAKES CANADIAN BRIDE

Earl of Haddington, Twelfth of His Line, Will Wed Miss Sarah Work, of Montreal

MONTREAL, Aug. 14.—The engagement is announced of the Earl of Haddington, M.C., to Sarah Work, of Montreal.

The Earl of Haddington is a Scottish nobleman, twelfth of his line, bearing a title dating back to 1691. His ancestors have borne a distinguished part in the history of Scotland and the United Kingdom.

He was born September 18, 1894. In 1915 he was appointed an A.D.C. to the Duke of Devonshire, then Governor-General of Chnada. He served in the European war in 1916-1918, was awarded the Military Cross and has the rank of captain, reserve officer, Royal Scots Greys. He is the owner of about 34,100 acres. The family seat is Tyningham House, at Prestonkirk, Scotland.

FASCISTI CLASH WITH COMMUNISTS

BOLOGNA, Aug. 14.—Five persons were wounded today at Molinella in reprisals for the bombing yesterday of the Fascisti headquarters. Twenty-six persons were wounded in the disorders immediately after the bombing.

The Fascisti have given the Communists forty-eight hours in which to furnish assurances that the outrage will not be repeated.

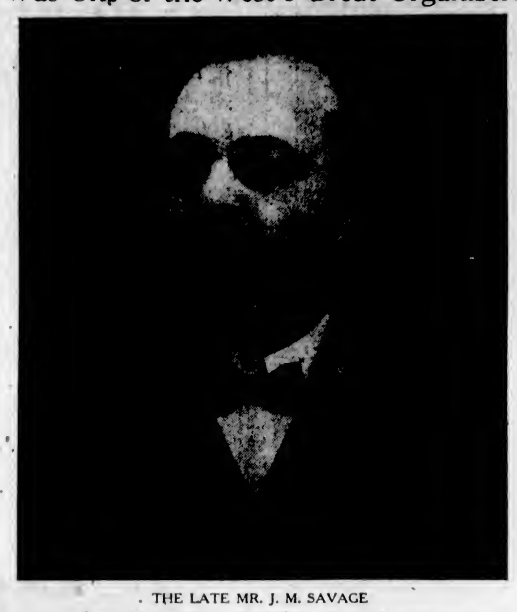
Kamloops Organizes To Secure Highway

KAMLOOPS, B.C., Aug. 14.—At a largely attended and enthusiastic public meeting last night it was decided to lead a campaign to organize the Interior so that pressure might be brought to bear on the government to build a highway connecting the Interior with the Coast.

It was felt that the government cannot undertake the building of a satisfactory road unless assured that public opinion is behind it.

It is intended to show not only that public opinion supports the road, but demands it

Was One of the West's Great Organizers



THE LATE MR. J. M. SAVAGE
General Manager of Canadian Collieries (Dunsmuir) Limited.

Nanaimo Convention Endorses Steel Plan

Victoria Delegation Attempted to Modify Resolution Relative to Mr. Landahl's Scheme Without Pledging Specific Support—Promoter of Scheme Promises to Address Meeting Here

NANAIMO, Aug. 14.—Endorsation of the proposal of the Coast Steel Range Company for the erection of a blast furnace and steel plant in the Province was given by a majority of the delegates to the convention of the Associated Boards of Trade of Vancouver Island today; and the Provincial government was asked to give assistance to the scheme if, after investigation, it should prove to be feasible and satisfactory. The resolution in this sense was not passed until a long discussion had followed upon the address given by Mr. H. J. Landahl, president of the Coast Steel Company, who came over to the convention from Vancouver on the invitation of the Nanaimo Board of Trade, sponsors of the resolution, and strenuous advocates for its passage in its original commitment of the convention to unequivocal support of the company.

Victoria's Attitude

The efforts of the Victoria delegation led by Mayor Hayward and Mr. C. T. Cross, was directed to an effort to avoid an appearance of dissension by compromising on an academic expression of opinion in favor of the establishment of a steel industry in British Columbia, but without pledging specific support to Mr. Landahl's company.

Mr. Cross explained that the Victoria delegation was taking that stand on telephonic instructions received from the Chamber of Commerce; and that the only desire of the delegation was to avoid a hasty endorsement of a very ambitious and far reaching scheme, which, he held, should not be accorded the support of the Island Boards of Trade until there had been time to properly investigate it.

The Nanaimo delegation, however, urged that since the resolution had been brought on to the floor of the convention, it would give a false impression of the real opinion of the members if it was withdrawn. The vote was taken on the original resolution, after the Victoria amendment had been defeated, and it was carried against the vote of the Victoria and Esquimalt delegates.

Mr. Landahl Coming Here

Mr. Cross publicly invited Mr. Landahl to address a Victoria audience in support of the Coast Steel Range Company and its projects for the establishment of a British Columbia steel industry; and Mr. Landahl accepted the invitation.

Mr. Landahl told the delegates that since the year 1911, when he began to investigate the steel manufacturing resources of the Province, he had spent $250,000 of his own money in the work. A company had been formed in 1914, with a capitalization of $7,000,000, and plans had been made to erect a plant capable of turning out 1,000 tons of steel a day. Then the war had come, and put an end to all those plans. Now it was sought to revive them.

As a result of the investigations conducted by himself and his associates, said Mr. Landahl, it had been determined that there was plenty of coking coal in British Columbia. There were fifty million tons of it available in the Nanaimo district. There was proved to be nineteen million tons of iron ore suitable and available for the manufacture of iron and steel. The situation had been called to the attention of some of the greatest iron masters of the British Empire, certain of whom had agreed to find capital for the operating expenses of the industry, providing that Government assistance could be obtained for the building of the plants.

Promoter's Statement

Mr. Landahl declared that he had the support of the Imperial Government for the establishment of the steel industry in the Province; and that all that was needed to put the vast scheme into effect was that the Provincial Government should implement the promises given in the memorandum of August 8, 1922, by which the Province was to guarantee one-third of the debenture bonds of the company.

The speaker said he had early discovered that there could never be a steel industry in British Columbia

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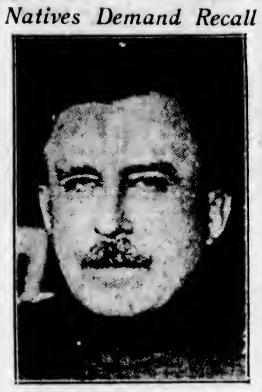
Natives Demand Recall



GENERAL LEONARD WOOD
United States Governor of the Philippine Islands, whose recall has been demanded by the natives, who are unanimous in their claims for political independence.

COMBINES LAW NOW FOR ENFORCEMENT

Minister of Labor Charged With Administration of Legislation Passed by Federal House

OTTAWA, Aug. 14.—Hon. James Murdock, Minister of Labor, has been charged with the general administration of the act which provides for the investigation of combines, monopolies, trusts and mergers, it was announced tonight by Premier King.

The act, which was passed during the last session of Parliament, confers wide powers upon the officials in charge of its administration. It provides that an investigation may be ordered upon a complaint supported by six persons, and for the appointment of a permanent registrar to conduct the preliminary probe.

Penalties which may be imposed where convictions are secured take three forms: First, the responsible parties may be proceeded against under the Criminal Code; second, any tariff protection enjoyed by the concern may be withdrawn, and, third, proceedings may be taken before the Exchequer Court to cancel patent rights.

REDUCED OUTLAYS

WASHINGTON, Aug. 14.—Preliminary budget estimates for the next fiscal year, as approved by President Coolidge, provide a total of $1,500,000,000 for the "running expenses" of the government, compared with $1,826,000,000 for the present year.

AVIATOR KILLED

WASHINGTON, Aug. 14.—Bertram M. Stewart, of Washington, was instantly killed today when an airplane which he was piloting fell 1,000 feet near here. John Ward, jr., of Harlan, Ky., was seriously injured.

PULP INQUIRY BOARD NAMED

Mr. Joseph Picard, of Quebec, Heads Commission Which Will Report on Need, or Otherwise, of Embargo

MR. WILLIAM ANSTEY TO REPRESENT B.C.

Widespread Scope Given to Investigation by Federal Order—Conservation Keynote of Inquiry

OTTAWA, Aug. 14. — The personnel of the commission, which will inquire into the forest resources of Canada, with a view of determining the need or otherwise of an embargo upon the exportation of pulpwood, was announced tonight by the Prime Minister.

Joseph Picard, manufacturer, Quebec City, is named chairman of the commission, and the other members are: A. Pollos Bamber Kerr, barrister, Toronto; R. W. Keller, barrister, Frederickton; J. G. Sutherland, lumberman, Clyde River, N.S., and William Anstie, contractor, Vancouver.

The order-in-council making the appointments, outlines the scope of the inquiry, its purpose and the remuneration to be received by the commissioners. Ernest Finlayson, acting-director of Forestry in the Department of the Interior, is attached to the commission as secretary.

Wide Inquiry

The commissioners are instructed to inquire into and report upon the forest resources of Canada with particular regard to the following points:

The extent in each province of wood of various kinds available for pulp;

The quantity of wood so available on lands owned by the municipal governments and subject, under provincial laws and regulations, to restrictions requiring the partial or total manufacture of such wood in Canada;

Quantity owned by the Dominion government and subject, under federal laws and regulations to restrictions requiring partial or total manufacture in Canada;

The quantity of such wood on other lands and the conditions under which such lands are held, whether by ownership or lease, whether by corporations or individuals, whether by citizens of Canada or other countries;

The quantity of pulpwood produced in each province of Canada during the last ten years, showing the portion used in Canada and the portion exported;

Embargo Question

The question of the prohibition or restriction of the export of pulpwood from Canada;

Any other matter touching upon the production, manufacture or sale of pulpwood essential to comprehensive consideration of the prohibition or restriction of the export of pulpwood from Canada;

The making of recommendations that may be deemed expedient for the conservation of pulpwood for present or future use.

Mr. Pickard, as chairman of the commission, will receive $35 a day every day during which the board is engaged in the work, while the other commissioners will get $25 a day. An expense allowance of $15 a day is permitted members of the commission in addition to actual expense of transportation. The secretary will receive a similar expense allowance while absent from Ottawa in pursuit of his duties.

Will Come to Canada

FRANK HODGES
youngest and one of the best known of the British Labor M.P.'s, who arrives shortly in Canada en route to the Trades Congress in Vancouver. He will also address the Labor Day gathering at the Canadian National Exhibition. Mr. Hodges is an intimate friend of the Prince of Wales.

MR. SAVAGE TO BE BURIED IN EAST

FUNERAL OF COLLIERIES HEAD TOMORROW

Bishop Schofield to Officiate at Services at Rockland Avenue Home—Interment at St. Catherines

Mr. J. M. Savage, general manager of the Canadian Collieries (Dunsmuir), Ltd., who died on Sunday, will be buried in the family plot at St. Catharines, Ont.

It was announced yesterday that the funeral services in Victoria will be held at the home, 837 St. Charles Street, tomorrow afternoon, commencing at 3 o'clock. The remains will be transferred to the Mainland on the afternoon steamer and will then be transported on the through train, accompanied by Mrs. Savage and Mr. and Mrs. T. O. Mackay, the latter being the only daughter of the late Mr. Savage.

The officiating clergyman will be the Right Rev. Bishop Schofield.

The active pallbearers, all members of the Canadian Collieries staff, will be Messrs. Thomas Graham, A. Auchinbole, Charles Graham, P. S. Fagan, F. A. Spruston and C. E. Thomas.

The honorary pallbearers will be Capt. J. W. Troup, Mr. A. C. Flumerfelt, Lieutenant-Governor Walter C. Nichol, Mr. R. P. Butchart, Chief Justice Macdonald and Mr. Charles E. Todd.

STOWAWAYS SEEK ENTRY TO CANADA

QUEBEC, Aug. 4.—Lured by the huge advertisements being posted up around Great Britain asking for farm help for Canada, seven young men in Glasgow stowed away on the liner Cassandra. They were hailed before Judge Chouquette yesterday and sentenced to a month in prison.

His Lordship, however, was much impressed by them, and has written to the Department of Immigration asking if the men may be sent to the West instead of being deported at the expiration of their sentences.

One Hundred Miners Entrapped in Mine

Catastrophe in Frontier Workings in Wyoming Claims Toll of Lives—Every Effort at Relief Exhausted

PITTSBURGH, Pa., Aug. 14.—Thirty-six of the 138 miners entombed in Frontier mine No. 1 of the Kemmerer Coal Co., at Kemmerer, Wyo., have been rescued, according to a message received tonight by Mr. D. J. Parker, of the Pittsburgh office of the Bureau of Mines, from Mr. H. E. Munn, engineer in charge of mine rescue car No. 2, at the scene of the disaster. The number of dead will exceed one hundred, the telegram said.

Hope Abandoned

KEMMERER, Wyo., Aug. 15.—All hope of finding more miners alive after the entombment of approximately 128 workers in the 1,700-foot level of the Frontier mine No. 1 in the Kemmerer Coal Company, was abandoned at 8 o'clock tonight, and the work of bringing up the dead was begun.

At 5 o'clock rescuers found a man lying in the main slope who was nearing death from inhalation of smoke and gas fumes. He was revived with a pulmotor and taken to a hospital. He is expected to recover.

Victims of Disaster

A short time later two men who had been hidden in a remote corner of a room off the main slope, were brought to the surface apparently not suffering greatly from their entombment. Another man found further in along the main slope showed signs of life when rescuers reached him, but when doctors attempted to revive him it was found life was extinct.

NEW YORK, Aug. 14.—All Italian exchanges have been closed until August 20 because of the extreme heat, the financial district learned today.

SENATE SEAT GOES TO EDMONTON MAN

Hon. Jean Cote Elevated to Red Chamber in Succession to Late Hon. A. Forget, of Banff

OTTAWA, Aug. 14.—Hon. Jean Cote, of Edmonton, has been appointed to the Senate to succeed the late Hon. A. Forget, of Banff, Alta., it is officially announced tonight by Premier King.

This appointment disposes of the open seat in the Alberta representation but there are still two senatorial vacancies to be filled, one in New Brunswick and the other in Quebec.

Government Marine Has Opportunity

OTTAWA, Aug. 14.—Ten vessels of the Canadian Merchant Marine now on the Great Lakes may be used in the grain carrying trade this season, it was announced tonight by Hon. G. P. Graham, Minister of Railways and Canals.

Use of the Government boats to assist in solving the problem presented by the refusal of American shipowners to comply with the new grain rates regulations has been under consideration for several days.

It is understood that Sir Henry Thornton will be called into consultation in the matter and, should the American concerns persist in their refusal to file tariffs, the Government vessels will be utilized.

Pioneer Justice Passing

MONTREAL, Aug. 14.—It was reported at the residence of Sir Alexandre Lacoste, former Chief Justice of the Province of Quebec, this afternoon, that he was failing fast. Sir Alexandre is in his eighty-second year.

DEMANDS RESTORATION OF GERMAN RIGHTS

New Chancellor, in Militant Speech, Declares Fatherland Willing to Meet Obligations, Provided Ruhr Is Left Unhampered by Allies—Sees Settlement of Reparations Question

Radicals Continue to Create Disturbances

BERLIN, Aug. 14—The new cabinet, headed by Chancellor Stresemann, was given a vote of confidence today by the Reichstag, 240 deputies out of a total of 341 favoring the government. Seventy-six votes were cast in opposition, while twenty-five deputies, supposed to be of the Bavarian People's Party, abstained from voting. The other opposition came from the Nationalists and Communists.

The vote came after Dr. Stresemann had addressed the Reichstag and given that body the new government's viewpoint on the general situation and particularly with reference to the crisis brought about by the occupation of the Ruhr and the Rhineland.

Germany's Demands

He informed the members of the Chamber that Germany required complete restoration of her rights in the occupied territory as essential to the abandonment of passive resistance. The setting free of all Germans imprisoned in the districts occupied by the French and Belgians, the permission for the return of those who have been sent out of the occupied area, also were made conditions for a cessation of passive resistance.

Dr. Stresemann declared the change in government was not a sign of weakness on the part of Germany. On the contrary, the change had brought into being the strongest cabinet, as regards opposition to any idea of permitting the violation of Germany, that the country had had since the republic was formed.

Passive Resistance

Passing almost immediately to the question of the occupation of the Ruhr, the Chancellor said passive resistance was deep rooted in the firm conviction of its justice.

"This," he declared, "has been unequivocally recognized by the British Government, and we may assume that the statement of the British conception will find echo in France and Belgium."

Asserting that Germany would welcome arbitration of the Ruhr question, Dr. Stresemann added:

"We have no doubt that any impartial decision would restore to us our Ruhr territory, and on the day this happens all forces will work to end this intolerable policy.

Demands Freedom

"If the free and unrestricted administration of the Ruhr is assured us; if the situation in the Rhineland again is such as it is guaranteed by international treaties; if every imprisoned German in the Ruhr and the Rhineland is restored to liberty, then, after a breathing spell has been granted us, we shall be able, by exerting the whole economic force of the country, to furnish means for settlement of the reparations questions, provided the burdens imposed upon us permit of the existence of our economic life and the further development of our nation. The consolidation of our political and economic life is a preliminary condition for the resumption of the reparation deliveries, which had to be discontinued owing to economic derangement caused by the invasion of the Ruhr."

Taxation

Referring to domestic affairs, he said that what most was demanded from the new government was activity in restoring order. A promising beginning had been bade by the Reichstag, he said, in the adoption last week of the new taxation laws introduced by the Cuno administration. He appealed to all classes to support the gold loan, declaring that it was the government's duty to satisfy the demand for a stable currency. The government also regarded the demand for a stable basis of wages justified in view of the present circumstances. The Chancellor concluded by asking confidence from the Reichstag, saying:

"He only is lost who surrenders himself. We have a right to believe in Germany's future and it is our task to secure it."

Debate followed, in which the representatives of the four government parties approved the Chancellor's declaration and a vote of confidence in the new administration was given.

Three Killed

BERLIN, Aug. 14.—Three persons were killed and nine were wounded in the course of rioting at Wilhelmsburg, near Hamburg today. A party of Hamburg police which went to Wilhelmsburg to help the local police, whose headquarters was attacked by strikers, was received with a volley of shots. The Hamburg police replied and with difficulty dispersed the rioters.

Communists Active

BERLIN, Aug. 14.—Communists in the east end of Berlin tried to erect barricades at noon today to prevent the passage of tram cars. They smashed car windows and assaulted the drivers. The police fired on the rioters who returned the fire. Four persons were injured before order was restored.

Many Injured

LONDON, Aug. 14. — A Central News dispatch from Berlin says Communists attacked the town hall at Aladorf, eight miles north of Aix la Chapelle, with hand grenades, and that 100 persons were killed or wounded. Aladorf has a population of about 3,000. Its industries consist mainly of iron mines and smelting furnaces.

French Cruiser Afloat

BREST, France, Aug. 14.—The new light cruiser, Duguay Trouin, of the French Navy, was launched here this afternoon in the presence of Minister of Marine Raberti.

Tidal Waves In Japan Work Havoc

TOKIO, Aug. 15.—Tidal waves, combined with a severe storm, have submerged 25,000 houses along the Yalu River and on the west coast of Korea.

No estimate of the loss of life has yet been received, but it is said the damage to crops and the lumber industry will be heavy.

RUSSIAN REFUGEES TRY PROPAGANDA

Their Claim They Will Be Shot on Return to Russia Ridiculed by United States Officials

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 14.—The group of Russian deportees at the Angel Island immigration station, who recently published a petition asking that they be permitted to remain in America, on the ground that they will be shot by the Soviet government if they are returned home, are "indulging in propaganda," immigration officials announced today.

"These Russians are not being deported to Russia, but to the ports in China and the Philippines where they boarded the vessels that brought them here," this announcement said. "They do not have to return to Russia unless they elect to do so themselves."

There are approximately eighty Russians awaiting deportation here. Twenty-one of them were members of the refugee party which was brought here by the army transport Merritt several weeks ago. The others arrived on other vessels. Forty of the number are seeking habeas corpus writs to compel the government to permit them to remain here.

Twenty of the deportees will be returned on an army transport due to leave here August 20.

FRENCH FINANCES SHOW IMPROVEMENT

Claimed if Germany Had Paid Reparations Country's Problem Would Be Solved

PARIS, Aug. 14.—M. DeLasteyrie, Minister of Finance for France, speaking at Bort, Monday night, showed that the budget situation in France was improving. During the first half of this year the revenue from taxation was 1,058,000,000 francs more than in the corresponding period last year, he stated, and he believed this improvement would continue during the second half of the year.

In the event of the improvement continuing throughout the year, the Minister said, the ordinary budget, for the first time since 1914, would be balanced, including the annuity of 3,800,000,000 francs, payable for account of Germany.

In view of these encouraging results, the Minister added, France's financial problems would have been solved if Germany had carried out her engagements under the Treaty of Versailles.

TROOPS REMOVED FROM STRIKE AREA

Last of Armed Forces Leave Scene of Troubles in Sydney Area—No Further Trouble

SYDNEY, N.S., Aug. 14.—The military evacuation of Cape Breton strike area will be complete before daylight.

The last units of the force which for more than six weeks has been on strike duty in the Sydney district boarded two special trains for the Mainland.

Chang Hu, Chinese Foreign Minister

PEKING, Aug. 14.—Chang Hu, former Minister of Finance in the Liang Shih-yi cabinet, and twice vice-minister in the same department, today was appointed financial minister.

The post has been vacant for some time, Minister Liu En-Yunan having resigned with the Chang Shao-Tseng cabinet.

Chang Hu is said to be a practical financier. He was long identified with the salt inspectorate as associate director.

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Bellingham Mills Destroyed By Fire

BELLINGHAM, Aug. 14.—Fire starting this morning at 6:45 threatened millions of feet of lumber piled in the Morrison Lumber Company's yard and the Bloodell-Donovon Lumber Company's box factory adjacent to the Morrison mill. Firemen were having difficulty in getting water on the blaze. The stillness of the air prevented a rapid spread and possible destruction of the entire waterfront mill district.

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SOUTHAMS ACQUIRE INTEREST IN PAPER

Eastern Newspaper Interests Become Partners in The Vancouver Daily Province

VANCOUVER, Aug. 14.—The Daily Province makes the following announcement in an editorial today:

"As a result of conversations springing from associations and friendships of a generation ago, Messrs. William Southam & Sons, Limited, a firm which, with its ramifications, is much the most important printing and publishing house in Canada, have become associated with the Hon. W. C. Nichol, in the ownership of The Province.

The chief consideration leading to the completion of the transaction was the personal attention required by His Honor's many other interests. A growing business in a growing community must have the facilities of widespread business organization at its disposal in order to work out the full measure of its destiny without proving too great a burden upon those engaged in it.

"No changes of importance are contemplated in connection with the enterprise. The company will be reorganized on a larger basis, with Mr. Nichol retaining its presidency, but the old policies of fairness and efficiency will be followed and the members of the staff, many of whom have grown from boyhood to manhood in the employ of the company, will keep their old desks and their old chairs.

"In the future as in the past, the first consideration of The Province will be the welfare of the British Empire and the community which it serves as faithfully, as loyally as it knows how."

Brandon Pioneer Dead

BRANDON, Aug. 14.—George M. Munro, aged seventy-eight, a resident of this district for forty years, died last night. He was the first hardware merchant in this city.

REORGANIZE THE POSTAL SERVICE

NEW APPOINTMENTS MADE BY FEDERAL GOVERNMENT

Plan Is to Make Promotions From the Ranks—Various Districts Will Be Reorganized

OTTAWA, Aug. 14—Announcement of the transfer of E. J. Lemaire from the Postoffice Department to the Privy Council, marks the beginning of the reorganization of the postal service throughout the Dominion. In connection with all the positions that are to be filled, two principles, it is announced, will be followed—promotion from within the department, and a knowledge of postal duties.

Three appointments are announced today, namely: L. J. Gaboury, of Montreal, appointed Deputy Postmaster-General; P. T. Colican, of Ottawa, appointed General Superintendent of the postal service in Canada; T. P. Murphy, of Ottawa, appointed to take charge of the equipment and supply branch, the post vacated by Mr. Lemaire on his appointment as clerk of the Privy Council.

Messrs. Gaboury and Colican at present hold the positions in the postal service in the order of seniority. Mr. Murphy, formerly of the foreign exchange branch of the Postoffice Department, is now private secretary to the Postmaster-General.

The successors to Messrs. Gaboury and Colican will be chosen from among the present employees.

Pending permanent appointments, James Taylor, of Montreal, will temporarily discharge the duties of Mr. Gaboury and H. E. Atwater, of Ottawa, will be acting Western superintendent in place of Mr. Colican.

Reorganization of the several postal districts on business principles as provided in the new plan, will, it is intimated, begin at once. Those of London and Halifax will be dealt with first.

TWENTY-THREE DIE IN MOTOR ACCIDENT

Tourists in Southern France Victims When Bus Overturns and Plunges Into Ravine

LOUDRES, France, Aug. 14.—Twenty-three persons were killed and seven were injured, probably fatally, yesterday when a motor coach filled with excursionists plunged down a 150-foot ravine in the Pyrennees Mountains near St. Sauveur.

The motor driver, in attempting to avoid striking a woman who stepped from a conveyance, swerved the machine sharply, and the coach overturned, crashing to the bottom of the ravine.

The woman, who was the indirect cause of the accident, ran screaming to the nearest village, gave the alarm and fainted. A rescue party extricated the bodies. All were terribly mutilated, and it was impossible to identify any of them.

TOULOUSE, France, Aug. 14.—All the victims of the automobile accident near St. Sauveur were Hollanders. The party was on a pilgrimage to the Lourdes Springs.

McGill Cricket Eleven Wins Robertson Cup

MONTREAL, Aug. 15.—The cricket match for the John Ross Robertson cup and Dominion championship, resulted in a victory for McGill by the narrow margin of 17 runs. McGill made 78 in the first innings and 188 in the second for a total of 266. Toronto made 138 in the first innings and 111 in the second for a total of 249. Godsell, McGill, was high bat for the day with 57.

Prepare for Coal Strike

WASHINGTON, Aug. 14.—The new administration under President Coolidge has approved plans to furnish necessary substitutes to relieve any fuel shortage, which might result from an anthracite strike, it was announced today at the White House.

TIRED, NERVOUS MOTHERS

are the direct cause of much unhappiness in our homes; their condition irritates and wears upon the husband and often ruins a child's disposition. This condition of the mother is often due to some weakness which makes her entirely unfit to perform her household duties and bear the strain upon her nerves that governing children involves. Every woman who finds herself in this condition should remember that statistics prove that 98 out of every 100 woman who suffer from female ills are helped by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and lose no time in giving it a fair trial. —(Advt.)

STANLEY ON THE DARK CONTINENT
Premier Stanley Baldwin is encountering cabinet difficulties because of his negotiations with France over reparations. —From London Opinion.

B.C. ENDS CASE ON FREIGHT RATES

FINAL ARGUMENT IS PRESENTED TO PRIVY COUNCIL

Province's Counsel Asks for a Square Deal, Declaring With That B.C. Can Progress

OTTAWA, Aug. 14.—The argument of British Columbia and Alberta in rebuttal of the replies of the railways in the British Columbia appeal case was heard by the Privy Council this morning. Frank Ford, K.C., counsel for Alberta, in order to save time, waived the right of argument, and the closing argument for the two Provinces was made by G. G. McGeer, K.C., of Vancouver.

The removal of three kinds of discrimination was asked for by Mr. McGeer in opening the argument. In the first place he asked that a sugar refiner in Vancouver should be put on an equal basis as to rates with a sugar refiner in Montreal. In the second place the manufacturers of Vancouver should be on an equality with those of Winnipeg in distributing in the common territory. In the third place, Vancouver should be put in a position to serve the hinterland which was naturally tributary to it. He argued that where discrimination injured an individual or a locality, it was illegal and that it was the bounden duty of the Railway Commission to interfere.

Wheat Exports

He drew attention to the fact that 81 per cent of the wheat acreage of the Dominion was west of the Saskatchewan-Manitoba boundary, and asked whether it was economical to ship that wheat through the ports of Montreal and St. John. The false rate structure by which this was possible, he declared, had created a movement of trade through United States ports. The discrimination was not in favor of the Canadian east, but the American east.

It might be difficult to determine the reasonableness of rates in individual cases, but the present rates were not made on a scientific basis, but were made by the railways and were profitable for the railways. However, though the question of reasonableness might be difficult to determine, the principle that there should be no discrimination was clearly settled, and evidence of the unreasonableness of the rates was frequently found in rates existing elsewhere. For example, the rates on canned fruit to the Prairies from the Okanagan were 106 per cent of those to Eastern Canada, while the rates from British Columbia on lumber were 66 to 80 per cent of those from Ontario. In these cases there was clear evidence of unreasonableness.

Costly Mistake

Mr. McGeer argued that it was not fair that British Columbia and Alberta should bear the cost of the mistake that was made when the C.P.R. chose the Kicking Horse rather than the Yellowhead Pass.

He quoted a speech by Sir Charles Tupper in Parliament in 1882, to show that the Kicking Horse Pass was chosen for the benefit of the whole system and of the whole country. He also quoted a statement from President Beatty that the Connaught tunnel was not built for the benefit of British Columbia, but for the system as a whole. If the operating conditions on the Canadian National in British Columbia were 50 per cent better than on the C.P.R. it was not fair that that Province and Alberta should have to pay the bill by means of rates based on the C.P.R. costs, Mr. McGeer argued.

He stated that every time that British Columbia had taken this case to the Railway Commission, it had come away better off and with new evidence to show that the discrimination was unfair.

Mr. McGeer paid a high tribute to Mackenzie & Mann for their faith in the West and said that the Canadian National would stand as a monument to that faith, and would eventually carry the greatest amount of traffic in the country. If given a chance, the West and the Coast Province would justify the construction of the Grand Trunk Pacific to Prince Rupert, but it could not justify it so long as the barrier to every development of traffic was maintained.

No Protection

Referring to the argument of Mr. Pitblado, Mr. McGeer declared: "I do not believe that in this Western land of free trade there is springing up the canker of protection. Whoever heard of protection against ourselves. That is the argument put forward by Mr. Pitblado, representing the Farmer Government of Manitoba." He referred to Pitblado as representing a small percentage of the people of Winnipeg and to the "appeal for help" of the Winnipeg Board of Trade.

Mr. Pitblado interrupted that there must be some limit to the lengths to which Mr. McGeer would go. "He is giving you a grotesque, newspaper propaganda speech," warmly remarked Mr. Pitblado.

"An argument of that kind in reply is most unfair and most undignified. It makes one feel that my friend will go any length and raise any issue to try to win his case."

"When Mr. Pitblado comes before this Council and asks to continue a traffic policy that, at the expense of all the West, protects a few men in Winnipeg we cannot agree with him," retorted Mr. McGeer.

Commodity Rates

Hon. George P. Graham asked Mr. McGeer if British Columbia was prepared to give up commodity rates.

"We are not concerned about that," was the reply. He added that there was no commodity rates in British Columbia and few in interprovincial traffic.

"What about ores?" asked E. P. Flintoft, K.C., of the C.P.R. counsel.

"They go to the Trail smelter," replied Mr. McGeer, "which belongs to the C.P.R."

He argued that the C.P.R. could stand a reduction of rates because of its surplus of over $200,000,000 out of lands and operations. He declared that what the West needed was five or six million people.

"If you get them here under proper conditions," he said, "you need not fear for their success. The trouble is that now too many are writing to friends that they cannot succeed, but that does not include the C.P.R."

"We are not asking to be helped," he added, "we can take care of ourselves if you give us a fair deal."

At the conclusion of the argument, British Columbia asked for a decision, and Premier King said a decision in the case would be reached as soon as conditions permitted.

CLAIM BRITAIN'S NOTE UNTIMELY

New York Press Holds View Reply Marks Climax in Mounting Ill-Feeling Between Two Allies

NEW YORK, Aug. 13.—The Tribune interprets Lord Curzon's reparations note to France and Belgium as the "threat of an effort by Great Britain to separate herself altogether from French action with respect to Germany, and, for the time being, travel alone in the realm of continental politics."

"The Curzon note," says the paper, "marks a long mounting climax of ill-feeling, of disagreement, of distrust."

The Tribute attributes the dispute between Great Britain and France to a fundamental clash of interests, asserting that while the prosperity of England, a great manufacturing nation, rests upon stable conditions in international commerce and upon prosperity in other countries, the French concern is, last of all, in foreign markets and, first of all, in reparations and security.

"France," continues the editorial, "demands security against German revenge in that war which most of Europe fatalistically accepts as inevitable."

Under the caption "A Curzon Lecture," The Times declares Lord Curzon's note was "conceived in his worst style," and made public at the most inopportune time—"on the very day of the upset in Germany."

The writer says: "So unhappily was the publication of the note of the British Foreign Office timed that it is doubtful if it will receive the consideration it deserves."

Like The Tribune, The Times interprets a section of the note to infer that Great Britain will undertake separate action with regard to Germany.

Printers Made Good Progress Last Year

ATLANTA, Ga., Aug. 14.—The annual meeting of the International Typographical Union settled to its work today after disposing of the old question of appointment of the appeals committee, which, coming up unexpectedly, virtually required all the initial session of yesterday.

W. B. Trotter, second vice-president, at the meeting last night, told of the progress of the printers during the last year and asserted that the affairs of the organization are in better shape than ever before. He declared that the fight for the forty-four hour week had been won.

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REEVE IS URGING IMPROVEMENT TAX

OAK BAY HEAD WANTS NEW LEVY IN 1924

Will Ask Council to Order Reassessment of Improvements as Preparedness Move

Favoring the inauguration of the taxation of improvements in Oak Bay next year, and believing that preparations should be made so that the 1924 Council can fairly take this step, if it so desires, Reeve H. F. Hewlett will request the Oak Bay Council to authorize the reassessing of improvements within the municipality.

The taxation of improvements in Oak Bay is inevitable, Reeve Hewlett told The Colonist yesterday. "We gave our assurance this year," he continued, "that property owners would have an opportunity to appeal their improvement assessments before the taxation of improvements was instituted. I personally feel that this change in our taxation methods should take place next year, and at any rate in order to fulfill our promise in case the 1924 Council wants to tax improvements next year, I think that we should order a reassessment of improvements for the next assessment roll, giving owners an opportunity to appeal at the Court of Revision early in the year. Then, if it is desired to tax improvements during 1924, this can be fairly done.

Costs Are Rising

"Taxation of land is not sufficient in Oak Bay any longer. It is pointed out that as the result of the improvement tax in the city and the lack of it in Oak Bay, our municipality is securing more residents, but it must not be overlooked that property on which there is a house does not bring us in any more revenue than one without, while, on the other hand, each occupied house means an increased expenditure by the municipality. The residents of Oak Bay spend but little of their money within the municipality. Most of them are employed outside its boundaries, or, if they are in business for themselves in the city, they pay revenue to Victoria in the form of licences. Increases in population mean increased school and other costs. The vacant property is called upon to share this ever-growing burden.

"Today there are 550 parcels of reverted land in the hands of the municipality. They represent six per cent of the assessed value of the land in Oak Bay, and the unpaid taxes upon them amount to $30,000. It is not good business to allow this reversion to continue, and a tax on improvements will relieve the owners of vacant land, increasing the chances of their holding on.

Speculator No More

"It is idle to talk today of making the speculator in Oak Bay's vacant lands pay for his privilege. What owner of vacant property within the municipality at the present time is holding for speculation? It is a question of getting out from under with as little loss as possible, and some owners think they can do this best by letting the municipality have their land.

"The cost of services for the residents of Oak Bay will increase steadily in the future as they have in the past. It may be possible to stave off certain expenditures for the time being, but they must eventually be made. The question of garbage disposal, fire protection, improvement of roads, and others will have to be faced.

"I am looking to the welfare of the municipality as a whole and not to any one section when I advocate the taxation of improvements. I am not prepared to say what percentage of the assessed value should be taxed."

SCIENTISTS GATHER IN THE ANTIPODES

Cheer Sentiment That Permanent Peace May Be Secured in the Pacific—Urge Co-operation

MELBOURNE, Aug. 14.—The Pan-Pacific Science Conference, which is being attended by representatives from Canada, Great Britain, the United States, Japan and other countries, with interests in the region of the Pacific Ocean, was officially opened last night. The Governor-General, Lord Forster, welcomed the delegates.

Various speakers at the opening session, expressed agreement on the need of co-operation in facing the great problems common to the Pacific nations.

One Japanese delegate said he hoped the Congress would pave the way for permanent peace on the Pacific and in the whole world.

This sentiment was greeted with loud cheers.

VANCOUVER SHOT WINS AT OTTAWA

Private Selwood Captures McDougall Challenge Cup at Dominion Rifle Association Meet at Ottawa

OTTAWA, Aug. 14.—With a score of 67 out of a possible of 70, private P. Selwood, of the 72nd Regiment, Vancouver, B.C., won the McDougall challenge cup and $25 in cash at the annual Dominion of Canada Rifle Association meet here yesterday. Despite poor shooting weather, good scores were made yesterday.

Other good scores were made in the McDougall competition. Private W. Irvin, of Ottawa, and Major F. W. Utton, of Toronto, also scoring 67, but Selwood was awarded first prize on account of his consistent shooting.

Other B.C. scores in the McDougall are: Private A. S. Caplin, Vancouver, 63.

There were 132 entries in the money prizes of the McDougall.

In the Tyro, they were: C.Q.M.S., J. Alexander, Vancouver, 32; Cadet T. Kinchin, Vancouver, 32; Sergeant A. Kennedy, Victoria, 31; Sergeant Power, Vancouver, 31; Private H. F. Clark, Vancouver, 30; Private H. Hellwell, Vancouver, 30; Lieutenant F. Gardiner, Vancouver, 29.

Lodging House Tragedy

VANCOUVER, Aug. 14.—The lifeless body of Robert Handley, was discovered last night in a Japanese rooming house by the proprietor. Handley, who was about seventy years of age, engaged the room on Saturday. He had recently been a patient at the Royal Columbian Hospital, New Westminster.

Financial Controller

GEORGE H. ROSS
Finance Commissioner of the city of Toronto, and ex-president of the International Kiwanis Club, who, it is rumored, will be appointed Finance Controller for Ontario.

ANNOUNCES PLANS OF LEGION VISIT

THOUSAND VETERANS WILL INVADE CITY SHORTLY

Reception, Community Dance and Memorial Service Chief Events on September 8 and 9

Over 1,000 members of the Seattle Posts of the American Legion will invade Victoria on Saturday and Sunday, September 8 and 9, and will be the guests of the Victoria Veterans of the Great War. Plans for the reception and entertainment of the visiting ex-service men are in the hands of a capable committee of returned soldiers, which is representative of all the veterans' organizations in the city.

Tentative plans for the visit of the American Legionnaires were announced last night to The Colonist. The veterans from the great republic have chartered a special boat to convey them to and from Victoria.

The visitors will be welcomed, if present plans are finally adopted, on Saturday afternoon, September 8, at the C.P.R. wharf by local ex-service men and a band, which will lead the Legion members to the Parliament Buildings, where an official welcome to the Province and city will be given. His Honor Lieutenant-Governor Walter C. Nichol, Premier John Oliver and Mayor Reginald Hayward will be asked to attend and participate in this reception.

It is the committee's intention to hold a grand community dance on Saturday, September 8, and the local veterans hope that they will be successful in securing the Armory for this purpose. A first class band or orchestra will furnish the music, and about 2,000 people are expected to be present.

On Sunday afternoon, September 9, a memorial service will be held at Beacon Hill Park, when the Canadian and American ex-service men will pay a joint tribute to the memory of those who made the supreme sacrifice during the Great War. The memorial address will be delivered by Bishop Schofield, while other prominent local clergymen will be asked to take part in the ceremonies. Preceding the service a memorial parade will take place, the procession leaving some point on Yates Street and reaching Beacon Hill via the principal thoroughfares.

The committee of local ex-service men that is completing arrangements for the visit of the American Legion is headed by Comrade Seymour Howlinson, who is chairman, and Comrade H. P. Thorpe, who is secretary. The next meeting of this committee will be held on Thursday evening next at 8 o'clock in the rooms of the Army and Navy Veterans, Hamley Building, corner of Broughton and Government Streets.

HARDING ENTOURAGE ARE WITH COOLIDGE

First Cabinet Meeting Shows Old Cabinet Will Hold Office Under the New Executive

WASHINGTON, Aug. 14.—President Coolidge today presided over his first Cabinet meeting. All of those who served as the counsellors of President Harding, excepting Secretaries Mellen and Denby, met with the new chief executive. Mr. Mellen is in Europe and Mr. Denby at his home in Michigan.

After the meeting, the statement again was made at the White House that all of the Cabinet officials now in Washington had agreed to continue to serve in their present capacity with President Coolidge and that there was every prospect that the Harding official family would remain intact.

Supports Britain's Reparations Policy

LONDON, Aug. 14.—The Melbourne correspondent of Reuters says that the Melbourne Argus declares that every sentence in the British note on the reparations question rings of resolution.

The imperial government has shown exceptional restraint in the opinion of the Australian paper and can no longer be a passive spectator while the nation's sacrifice is rendered worthless by Allies' ill-conceived and reckless action.

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FRANCE STANDS BY HER POLICY

REPLY TO BRITISH NOTE WILL EMPHASIZE POSITION

Ready to Accept British Proposal Provided She Secures Full Reparations From Germany

PARIS, Aug. 14.—Premier Poincare, who will return to Paris tonight, has informed his collaborators at the Foreign Office he intends in the most courteous manner possible "to reply point by point to the note of Lord Curzon, British Secretary for Foreign Affairs, on the reparation question.

Although the reply will be courteous, it is asserted in Foreign Office circles that it will be a stout reaffirmation of the French viewpoint and a flat rejection of the British suggestions.

The reply will be sent as soon as possible, probably before the end of the week. Although it is no longer assumed in official quarters here that the Entente may survive the present difficulties, the situation is taken with perfect calm in Government circles, as well as by the press and public. The French have in fact, long considered the Entente as virtually defunct so far as concerns co-operation between Great Britain and France on the application of the terms of the Treaty of Versailles.

Placing Responsibility

Lord Curzon's note is taken merely as a public recognition of that fact by the British Government, with the aim of placing the responsibility for the rupture upon France.

Premier Poincare, it is understood, will carefully omit anything that might be taken as a denunciation of the Entente, leaving the initiative in the final rupture to the British Government.

If Premier Baldwin decides to call an international conference to fix Germany's capacity to pay, that action will be taken by the French, it is forecast, as an unfriendly act which will end the cordial relations that have existed for nearly twenty years.

France will then simply recall the fact that after all, she is the principal creditor of Germany, and that care must be taken that her rights as such are not infringed upon.

Premier Poincare explains his idea of guarantees, suggesting that Germany deliver the Rhineland railways to the Allies, give them certain Ruhr coal mines, collect customs in gold for the Allies, and otherwise actively co-operate in the payment of reparations.

Stands Firm

The Premier is firm throughout, however, in his announced policy of compelling Germany to cease resistance, and he refuses to compromise on the occupation of the Ruhr or the amount of reparations, except as compensated by cancellation of inter-allied debts.

Speaking of a committee to determine Germany's capacity to pay reparations, the Premier said the experts would simply see the German treasury empty and conclude she could not pay, when France knows she can pay.

In instructions sent to Count De St. Aulaire, ambassador to Great Britain, June 29, M. Poincare again lays stress on the vital importance of inter-allied debts in any general plan of reparations. He declares France would be unable to pay war debts until the devastated regions were reconstructed and the budget relieved of the burden placed upon it by reconstruction loans. If the British and American governments hesitate to accept Germany's "C" bonds in exchange for debts, M. Poincare continues, "It is because they know their value is uncertain and, above all, because they are unwilling to undertake themselves to recover from a debtor whose defaulting and ill will they are well acquainted with."

Debt Payment

"But we are obliged to tell them," the Premier adds, "we can only pay our debts in proportion as we are paid what is owed us. If they consider our debts too high, and they grant reductions and alleviations, we will immediately give Germany the benefit o fthis. That is to say, we only ask Germany for what we ourselves are asked.

"It is upon these important points that the British and American governments must decide before anything else. Consequently the Franco-Belgian conversations with the British government must be opened on very broad basis. It is even probable that definite proposals cannot be made Germany until it has been ascertained from the American government what it intends to do. The visit of the American Secretary of the Treasury might be made use of from this point of view."

FIRE DOES HEAVY DAMAGE IN TACOMA

Spontaneous Combustion Causes Blaze in Heart of City—Guests Escape From Hotel—Large Loss

TACOMA, Aug. 14.—Fire attributed to spontaneous combustion destroyed the Bass-Heuter Paint Company's wholesale house here shortly after midnight with an estimated loss of $100,000. The heart of the shopping district was threatened. Two hundred guests of the La Crosse Hotel, adjacent to the paint establishment, were routed from their beds and for a time it was believed impossible to save the hotel. All available fire-fighting equipment of the city was called to fight the flames.

At 2:10 o'clock this morning the fire was under control.

ASSESSMENT NOTICES WILL GO OUT TODAY

Twelve Thousand to be Sent to Postoffice—Postage Costs About $240—No Assessment Totals Out Yet

Twelve thousand assessment notices will go into the postoffice today from the City Hall. Under the law the assessment roll must be completed and notices sent out by August 15. City Assessor William Scowcroft announced yesterday that the work was completed, and the notices ready for the mails. The postage will cost in the neighborhood of $240, most of the notices being in the form of postcards. The total assessment of the city is cut by the new roll, but no figures have yet been compiled.

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RESULTS VINDICATE ENGINEER'S THEORY

Increased Pressure Obtained From Twelve-Inch Main Between Sections of Eight-Inch

It is difficult for the layman to understand that the pressure in a water main can be increased by the insertion of a section of twelve-inch pipe between two sections of eight-inch, but City Engineer Preston has confounded the critics of the recent Yates Street installation and proved the correctness of the theory.

The twelve-inch pipe recently laid on upper Yates Street joins with eight-inch pipe at both ends. The City Engineer said that the installation of the larger main would increase the pressure on the higher levels, but there were citizens and also aldermen who could not understand how this was possible. Now that the job is completed and the new main in use, the engineer's contention is substantiated. With fifty additional houses being supplied, the high level tank just east of St. Charles Street has not been empty since the water was turned into the twelve-inch pipe, while prior to that time it used to be dry at least once a day. The results obtained have been practically what the new installation was calculated to bring about.

"It makes no difference whether the twelve-inch pipe is inserted between sections of eight-inch or at the beginning of the main or the end," explained the engineer yesterday. "The result would be the same." To explain why so that the layman can understand appears to be a difficult task. The same question arose in Saanich at the time the Gordon Head extension was being discussed. Individuals at meetings in the municipality were wont to declare the theory of engineers an absolute fallacy.

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FRANCE AND BRITAIN

When the wave of indignation in France aroused by the publication of the British note on reparations has passed over, there is little doubt that the situation developing will be viewed with more equanimity. Nothing could be more detrimental to the outlook than any break in the friendship between Britain and France. That friendship embodies in it the greatest hope of the future peace of Europe. It is the most logical of the great unwritten alliances arising out of the late war. Memories are short, indeed, if those who died as brothers in arms on the fields of Flanders are now to become enemies because of differences of viewpoint that have arisen because the Treaty of Versailles has failed to be implemented. That Treaty was an honorable compact between the nations affected. The body presumably delegated to see that it was enforced was the Supreme Council of the Allies. That Council appears to have been dissolved, or to have died through inanition, and now, in effect, the question has arisen of who is to enforce the Treaty of Versailles.

Britain, by her latest attitude, intimates that the Treaty should be revised, and the terms, so far as reparations are concerned, made more lenient towards Germany. France believes that the Treaty should be carried out as it stands. Since the disappearance of the Supreme Council of the Allies there is no court of appeal. Britain wants a new court created, to be constituted of the World Powers. In the meantime France has seized upon German territory and is exacting reparations by virtue of her occupation. With her the belief is that possession is nine points of the law, and that in the practice of such a doctrine lies the only hope of making Germany admit her reparation dues. In the continued occupation of the Ruhr, British official opinion foresees economic disintegration in Germany and its possible effects felt adversely all over the world. Britain may be right, and she may err in her judgment. France may be wholly wrong, and yet she knows Germany through a more bitter experience than any other country has undergone.

In the first flush of indignation in France against the British note some harsh things have been said by the French press and by French individuals. They should not be taken seriously by the British peoples. After all, the geratest goal to be kept in view is the maintenance of the Anglo-French Entente, and to keep the friendship undimmed in these dificult times it is necessary to extend a spirit of forbearance and forgiveness towards those who have suffered so much at the hands of Germany. Britain is honest in her endeavor to influence world opinion to put an end to the chaotic conditions that have ensued through the occupation of the Ruhr. The situation is capable of solution in a friendly way, and that is the way in which it must be ultimately settled, for the British people are not prepared to go to war to sustain their viewpoint. War is farthest from their thoughts, and the vast majority of their people deprecate any course which is designed to raise a spirit of hostility in France. Strained relations between Britain and France could not fail to accentuate the uncertainty of economic conditions throughout the world. France has taken umbrage for the moment. The French are a great hearted people, and they will not carry a grudge against Britain for long, for they can never forget that it was Britain that saved them from utter defeat in the Great War,

PARALYSIS IN CHINA

The Peking correspondent of The London Times, who is most admirably informed on Chinese conditions, decribes the present situation there as "grotesque." At the capital, he says, there is no President, no Premier, neither Finance nor Foreign Minister, and but three members only of a defunct Cabinet who issue mandates, or orders, as Regents in charge. Parliament, it appears, is supposed to be in session, but there are no sittings because a quorum is unobtainable. All sources of revenue have dried up. The troops, police, the Ministries, and native and foreign creditors remain unpaid. Here is what the correspondent says: "Peking is a vacuum and the Chinese are wondering how soon the troops will march in and take possession, to blackmail the banks and merchants for their maintenance, or openly to loot."

The worst feature of the situation is that indiscipline is penetrating all classes. There is a lack of appreciation everywhere in the world about the actual conditions in China. A republican form of government there would seem to have proved an arrant failure, for now there is law and order only in the zones adjacent to the Treaty Ports, and in a less degree all along the railway lines. Elsewhere, says the Peking correspondent we have quoted, there is the cruellest anarchy, in which the lives and property of the inhabitants are the sport of troops and bandits alike, and trade is almost at a standstill. Those who obtain their impressions of the present conditions in China from stray visitors who pass through this port have but an imperfect realization of the actual march of events. No country in these times can go on and prosper without a stable government. The policy decided upon at the Washington Conference, whereby the Powers are not to interfere in China, is having disastrous results for that country, for it is certain had the old time intervention of the nations there been practised the present situation would never have developed.

China lacks guidance. She is torn by internal dissensions, and she is, in her present distracted state, one of the great forces contributing to the continuance of unsettled economic conditions everywhere. It is not because of Europe only that world opinion should be mobilized to induce stability. It is because of the Orient as well. China's present situation renders her a possible prey to the encroachment of either Russian or Japanese influence, or both. The latter might be beneficent; the former could hardly fail to be deadly, for it would be used as another lever to promote world revolution. The decree of the Washington Conference relative to the freedom of China from foreign assistance in a political sense should be revoked. China seems unable to help herself, and it is the duty of the world to come to her assistance.

CANADA'S PART

Premier Mackenzie King, in a statement credited to him by L'Evenement, says that Canada must not interfere with European affairs. On the other hand, the British Prime Minister is seeking for the mobilization of world opinion upon European issues. Canada, if Mr. King speaks for the country, is borrowing her policy from the United States, and it seems a pity that at this time, simultaneously with the publication of the British note on the Ruhr issue, that the Premier of this Dominion should have made such a pronouncement. It means, if it means anything, that he goes to the Imperial Conference with his face dead set against Canada being a partner in any sense in efforts directed to the economic reconstruction of Europe. If the Empire is disunited on this subject it will be small wonder if the Powers as a whole do not take the British note on reparations as of serious intent.

The fact is that Premier King, before making such an announcement as that Canada should not interfere with European affairs, should have made an effort to secure an expression of public opinion. Canada does not want to become embroiled in Europe in any way; but she does want to lend her moral force towards the settlement of economic conditions there. It is deeply in the interest of this country that there should be peace in Europe. Weak as we may be in the sense of armed force, we stand as an integral part of the Empire, and should be willing to bear, at least, our portion of the moral burden which the stress of the times inflict. It is our own welfare that is at stake in the settlement of Europe. Until that settlement is reached we shall go on suffering economically. No one wants Canada to interfere in European affairs, but Mr. Mackenzie King must know that there is a wide difference between interference and that participation in a moral effort to solve great problems which are world-wide in their implication No dog-in-the-manger attitude of any nation will contribute towards the peace of Europe, which means the peace of the world. Canada is just as much concerned as any other part of the Empire in promoting European reconstruction, and she should be ready to play her part as becomes the prestige and dignity which we claim for ourselves.

Sir Thomas Lipton has again announced his intention of challenging for the America's Cup. His ambition to recapture this trophy for Britain is almost a feverish one. If we mistake not, the contest of 1925 will be the sixth attempt he has made. "I want only," he says, "to bring back that Cup in an Irish boat with an Irish name." That is the extent of his ambition. It is an ambition on which he has already spent hundreds of thousands of pounds, but in doing so he has earned the reputation of being as fine a sportsman as there is in the world.

The Chamber of Commerce's resolution submitted to the Associated Boards of Trade in convention at Nanaimo, and designed to save the timber bordering the Island Highway west of Cameron Lake, is well timed. This is a question of conservation about which our Provincial Government should be very much alive. That it should have regarded the matter up to date as of so little importance is a reflection on its intelligent appreciation of what constitutes one of the great, and what should be one of the enduring, beauties of Vancouver Island.

New York City's population has increased more than ninety-six times in 120 years.

The harp is probably Egyptian in origin.

Note and Comment

By R. B. D.

The Prince of Wales is going to have a real holiday. He is tired of being constantly "in the public eye," of doing things that one in his position apparently is expected to do and of being compelled to do things that he would not do if he were his own master. If His Royal Highness were not a particularly unselfish and highly good-humored young man, he would break away from his official environment more frequently and become even as other young men in a different rank of life.

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The Prince is coming to Canada, to the free and boundless West, where there is less conventionality than in most parts of the world, where there are still a few broncos that are not accustomed to the saddle and are violently opposed to the desire of mankind to establish dominion over them. He will be as free as the winds that sweep over the mountains and across the plains, and that should be "a grand and a glorious feeling" to one who has been accustomed to and must learn to accommodate himself to the conventions which surround and circumscribe the activities of one born in the purple.

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The Prince is not going to be surrounded with pomp and circumstances during his sojourn upon his Alberta ranch. He is going to mingle with plainsmen and pass his time in doing the things that plainsmen do. He will receive no "addresses," surely the stupidest custom that ever was invented for the special purpose of boring the victims of it. He will mingle with rough but genuine men who have not been spoiled by contact with artificiality, and will study the ways of horses and other animals. That is a job most Englishmen love, and it is safe to predict that the Prince will enjoy every moment of freedom during his holiday.

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Of course, there will be dances on that royal ranch, dances probably conducted in true Western style and productive of the maximum of enjoyment. There is not much wrong with the moral and physical equipment of a human being who enjoys a dance, properly conducted and under natural and therefore healthful conditions. It must have been a delightful thing to dance to the music of the pipe of Pan, a musician who scorned crowded halls, artificial environments, and performed exclusively under the dome of a "temple not made with hands." The world has passed a long way beyond the days of the god of the pipes, and quite a long way beyond the days of the Highland piper and the fiddler in the barn. The Prince of Wales is going to turn back and get as close to those days and things as he can, and it is safe to say that he will have a joyous time upon the plains of Western Canada and that he will go back to his official duties renewed in health and strength. Who knows but that problem which has engaged the attention of all the world and possibly has caused his devoted mother some concern may be solved in an unexpected way.

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There is no doubt whatever about it: The business horizon of Canada is becoming clearer every day. Prospects are improving and there are signs of cheer in marts of trade and haunts of industry. Of course the person who delights to carry about a gloomy countenance and to create an atmosphere of pessimism wherever he goes will hold such statements in derision; but the poor creature is not to be condemned for his gloom. His feeling is constitutional, and he is but to be pitied for being born that way. He will have a terribly unhappy time when this slight depression has passed away and Canadians becoming a busier people than ever they were before.

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The outstanding fact in connection with the business situation in Canada is the steady increase in the earnings of the railway companies. The transportation systems would not be earning more money if they were not carrying more traffic, and an increase in traffic logically implies greater activity and increased production in some, if not in all, the industries of the country.

There is said to have been a considerable exodus of people from Canada to the United States. No doubt a large number of persons, principally mechanics, have gone across the border in search of work. That is because there has been a depression in the building trades on this side of the line and great activity on the other side. The lure of the South has attracted many on account of the unusual rates of pay that have been prevalent in consequence of building boom. Such conditions are ephemeral; they will rapidly pass and there will be a reaction and readjustment.

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The fact that is of importance is that there has been no reduction in production in Canada notwithstanding the movement of population. The harvest of the Prairies promised to be more bountiful than ever before, up till a few weeks ago, when the weather, always capricious east of the great mountain barrier, somewhat reduced the value if not the volume of the crop. Therefore the exodus from any part of Canada has not been of such proportions as to prove a handicap to production. If some people have left Canada temporarily, others are coming in who are likely to prove permanent settlers. There will be plenty of work for them all within a very short time.

VIGNETTES FROM O. HENRY

Little Stories by a Great Story-Teller

SPEAKING OF BIG WINDS

The man with the bronzed face and distinguished air was a great traveler, and had just returned from a tour around the world. He sat around the stove at the hotel and four or five drummers and men-about-town listened with much interest to his tales.

He was speaking of the fierce wind storms that occur in South America, when the long grass of the pampas is interlaced and blown so flat by the hurricanes that it is cut into strips and sold for the fine straw mattihg. He spoke of the great intelligence of the wild cattle which, he said, although blown about by the furious hurricanes, and compelled to drift for days before the drenching floods of the rainy season, never lost their direction by day or night.

"How do they guide themselves?" asked the Topeka flour drummer.

"Oh, by their uddera of course," said the traveler.

"I don't see anything to laugh about," said the Kansas man, "But speaking of big winds we have something of the kind in our state. You've all heard of the Kansas cyclones, but very few of you know what they are. We have plenty of them and some are pretty hard ones, too, but most of the stories you read about them are exaggerated. Still a good, full-grown cyclone can carry things pretty high sometimes. "I knew a fellow named Bob Long, who was a real estate hustler from away back. Bob had bought up a lot of prairie land cheap, and was trying to sell it in small tracts for farms and truck patches. One day he took a man in his buggy out to this land and was showing it to him.

"Just look at it," he said. "It is the finest, richest piece of ground in Kansas. Now it's worth more, but to start things off, and get improvements to going, I'll sell you 160 acres of this land at $40 per—"

"Before Bob could say "acre" a cyclone came along and the edge of it took Bob up straight into the air. He went up till he was nothing but a black speck and the man stood there and watched him till he was out of sight."

The man liked the land, so he bought it from Bob's heirs, and pretty soon a railroad cut across it, and a fine flourishing town sprang up on the spot.

This man was standing on the sidewalk one day thinking of how lucky he had been, and about Bob's unfortunate fate, when he happened to look up and saw something falling. It grew larger and larger, and finally it turned out to be a man.

"He came tumbling down, struck the sidewalk with a crack you could have heard four blocks away, bounded up at least ten feet, came down his feet and shouted:

"Front feet!"

"It was Bob Long. His beard was a little grayer and longer, but he was all business still. He had noticed the changes that had taken place while he was coming down, and when he finished the sentence that he began when the cyclone took him up, he altered his language accordingly. Bob was a hustler. Sometime after that he—"

"Never mind," said the traveler. "Let's go in and take something on this one first. I claim the usual time before the next round."

Poems That Endure

Untwisting all the chains that tie
The hidden soul of harmony.
—John Milton.

THE BROOM-FLOWER

O the broom, the yellow broom!
The ancient poet sung it,
And dear it is on Summer days
To lie at rest among it.

I know the realms where people say
The flowers have not their fellow;
I know where they shine out like suns,
The crimson and the yellow.

I know where ladies live enchained
In luxury's silken fetters,
And flowers as bright as glittering gems
Are used for written letters.

But ne'er was flower so fair as this,
In modern days or olden;
It groweth on its nodding stem
Like to a garland golden.

And all about my mother's door
Shine out its glittering bushes,
And down the glen, where clear as light
The mountain-water gushes.

Take all the rest; but give me this,
And the bird that nestles in it—
I love it, for it loves the broom—
The green and yellow linnet.

We'll call the rose the queen of flowers,
And boast of that of Sheron,
Of lilies like to marble cups,
And the golden rod of Aaront

I care not how these flowers may be
Beloved of men and woman;
The broom it is the flower for me,
That groweth on the common.

O broom, the yellow broom!
The ancient poet sung it,
And dear it is on Summer days
To lie at rest among it.
—Mary Howitt.

By the Way—

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Butter Buried in Peat in Ireland

A GARMENT dating from the Bronze Age, discovered by peat-cutters a few feet below the surface of a Swedish fen, has come out intact, thanks to the soil in which it was found. The preservative powers of peat soil have long been recognized by the Irish; so much so that at one time it was their practice to bury butter during the Summer for use in Winter. In 1906 some men cutting turf near Killucan found a tub containing about two hundredweight of butter buried deep in a bog. From the style in which the tub was made it was surmised that the butter was more than 100 years old; yet it was not quite uneatable, though somewhat rancid.

Similar deposits have been found in other parts of Ireland, some wrapped in cloth, which on exposure to the air crumbled to dust.

Letters to the Editor

No letter to the editor will be inserted except over the proper signature and address of the writer. This rule admits of no exceptions.

Single Tax

Sir,—Would some of those big five who eighteen months ago voted for the continuance of the single tax system in Victoria inform the public why, if it has been such a boon to Saanich, and it was so disastrous to Victoria during all the years it was in force there? Victoria, it was confidently expected by those single taxers, would have a population of 100,000 in a short time. Perhaps it had and the exodus began eighteen months ago. The single tax appeals forcibly to human selfishness or the hog within the human critter.

Now, Sir, if the big five are real honest, they will hasten to pay the police and firemen who kept watch over their houses all those years. Remember, gentlemen, every dollar you saved on your tax-exempted houses you took it out of the hides of the working men. Everywhere throughout the city you may see the humble cottage beside the big hotel, theatre or palatial residence of some Croesus. And the poor devils pay as much as the rich. The system of taxation is proving to be a calamity for Saanich. As population increases, taxation must increase, while the area of taxable land decreases. The man who cultivates twenty acres may in some rare cases, if he is of thrifty ancestry, have a $15,000 residence. Across the road may be ten professional men with two acres each and $15,000 houses. Now, this poor farmer pays the same taxes as the ten wise men. Is it honest?

The reeve of Saanich frequently alludes to the low rate of taxation. But is there another rural municipality in British Columbia where the farmer pays $10 and up per acre taxes? You can't fool all the people all the time. Those twenty-five mills of the Royal Oak gods grind slowly, but they grind exceeding small. Presently there won't be anything left of the Saanich farmer but a grease spot.

If those big-headed men like Mr. Marchant would devote some of their time to devising a plan to throttle the gambler in the products of the soil they would deserve well of their country. They might also cut out all civil pensions. "He that would be My disciple must deny himself and take up his cross and follow Me." This is the test of discipleship rather than riding in a Pullman car to this or that Methodist or Baptist convention.

ISAAC SOMERS, Sr.

Beaver Creek, Alberni, B. C., Aug. 14, 1923.

A Public Park

Sir,—Could you kindly let the general public know that Section 45, Highland District, has been made a public park? Part of this section is commonly known as McKenzie Bay. There are about 150 acres in this piece.

This section was reserved for a public park and gazetted last year by the Minister of Lands on the recommendation of Mr. Pauline, M.P.P., and Mr. Pooley, M.P.P.

There is a trail to this section leading from the Ross-Durrance Road, or you can go by boat along the Saanich Arm.

F. C. CODY.

Royal Oak, Saanich, B.C., Aug. 12, 1923.

Apple Trees

Sir,—Will you, with your usual courtesy, permit me a seasonable suggestion having reference to apple trees. The most serious disease to which our apple trees are subject is that commonly known as canker, and it is the direct cause of the dead and dying trees we see. As the trouble did not respond to the usual treatment accorded apple trees it was for a long time considered incurable. Thanks to modern investigation, it has been found to be easily curable and responds quickly to the simplest treatment if properly applied, and, what is of most importance, applied right now, which is the proper time. This is a fungous disease and is propagated by spores thrown off by the old wounds and carried by the winds to new resting places, where they start to grow immediately the wet weather comes. Those with unhealthy apple trees will do well to apply to their nearest horticultural or experimental station for information, and once the trouble is located have it remedied at once.

FRED BENNETT.

Burnside Road, Strawberry Vale, B. C., August 13, 1923.

"Eternal Peace"

Sir,—In my last letter to you of August 9, on "Eternal Peace," I distinctly alluded to the point of action, a thing which must be acted upon to gain its results. "Seek and ye shall find; knock, and it shall be opened unto you." But for these words Mr. Briggs, or any other writer in our days, must have interpretation, because they are a secret code or parable—an illustration, which fitted only in those primitive days when those peace-seekers could not express their thoughts so freely as we are able to do today. But it meant the same. We must not forget the great price which they had to pay—capital punishment for such true expression the same as I so freely express today.

The blood (or life) is actually shed by those of today who earnestly seek such true peace, as those seekers of old. The Bible is so little understood, only those of full understanding, or better to say, the meek of heart, are able to see God and act as gods. I suppose Mr. Briggs thinks that only Jesus was so strong as to sacrifice his life for all humanity, but let Mr. Briggs look deep into his true heart, and what does it tell him?—that he himself must follow the same example (bear your own cross), and then only I shall be redeemed (the righteous one has come) from death, and only then can and will eternal peace be established and satisfy the heart (contentment), resulting in everlasting life.

Mr. Briggs, what could you expect of two ignorant men (sin) fighting and beating each other to death; certainly I mean only bodily death, not the spiritual soul, which cannot be annihilated. But we must not forget the experiences those two sinners (I mean all) had by paying such a hard price, and in time of regeneration they will recognize that death does not pay (wars, etc.) and the new faith of life sets in, and by acting, eternal peace is established. Now, for thousands of years we had such experiences and paid the price with death of body;—the soul becomes cleaner and cleaner, and piercing the thick wall of doubt, it commences to realize its mistake and to recognize all humans as the inheritance of the One Almighty, and so the separation disappears. Here we have creeds, sects, dogmas, nations and isms ceasing to be, and at last the Christ is awakened in every man's heart,—the one God. Isn't this plain language,—so simple, Mr. Briggs, that even a child could understand, and only as children can we enter into the Kingdom of Heaven. So let us start as children, innocently playing with each other. Children don't know the differences between Jew and Gentile, etc. And did you ever watch the harmony and satisfaction amongst them, until we grown-up smarties interfere? Then the trouble comes.

The time is at hand, and God's knowledge does increase, and it is so simple, so simple, Mr. Briggs. Open your heart. He is there, since the beginning.

S. GOULD.

550 Johnson Street, Victoria, B.C., August 12, 1923.

FINER VALUES OF LIFE

"Mr. James M. Beck, the solicitor-general of the United States, and a fighting friend of Anglo-American goodwill, is always a welcome visitor here, and always suggestive," says The Sunday Times. "He was particularly happy and outspoken in his address on Friday to the English-Speaking Union, and not least so in his speculations as to whether we English-speaking peoples are not in danger of losing our sense of the finer values of life.

"Size, speed, quality, efficiency, facts, pleasure, rights, the majority, the state—these are our modern gods. What we neglect or underestimate are quality, craftsmanship, duties, originality, and the fineness and dignity of the individual soul.

"The indictment has some truth in it, but Mr. Beck showed us how we may yet escape the penalties. It is by making Shakespeare the supreme vocal point of all who speak the English tongue, and rallying the peoples of the United States and the Empire behind that lustrous and benignant spirit."—Public Opinion.

FIFTY YEARS AGO TODAY

(From The Daily British Colonist of August 15, 1873)

First Buggy—Mr. James Welch, of Sooke, drove the first buggy over the new road from Sooke to town on Wednesday. He made the trip in three and one-quarter hours. When the new bridge is finished the drive can be made in less than three hours. This is the only good piece of work that the Government has turned out; and some people say that even this would not have been done had the Provincial Secretary not owned several hundred acres at the Sooke end of the road.

Gold Quartz—Specimens of very rich gold-bearing quartz were brought from Skeena by Councillor Morton. It comes from Queen Charlotte Islands.

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COUNCIL'S STAND ON HALF-HOLIDAY

Alderman Sangster Says No Need of Resolution, as Majority Clearly Favor Six-Day Business

The majority of the members of the City Council favor the abolition of the half-holiday for retail stores and would assist any move for its abolition, according to Alderman George Sangster.

"I see that the Council is being urged to pass a resolution in regard to the half-holiday," said the alderman. "The matter came up when the by-law to regulate the hours of peddlers was before the Council. It was made quite clear at that time that the majority was in favor of the stores being open six full days a week, and the killing of the peddlers' by-law was due to that fact. The question was discussed with the retailers at meetings of the Public Works Committee, and I, as chairman, assured the delegations that the Council would do what it could to assist any movement to abolish the half-holiday. The Council cannot abolish the half-holiday. I think it has already made its position quite clear without passing any resolution."

FOXES TO BE SHOWN AT EXHIBITION HERE

Mr. W. B. Morrison, Who Operates Fox Farm at Royal Oak, to Provide Feature at Fair

There is to be an exhibition of silver black foxes at the Fall Exhibition here, Mr. George Sangster, secretary of the B.C. Agricultural Association, stated yesterday. This unique feature will be provided by Mr. W. B. Morrison, who is operating a fox farm at Royal Oak, and who contends that Vancouver Island is better adapted for the industry than anywhere else on the continent. Fox farming is only a recent development in this vicinity, and the exhibit provided by Mr. Morrison will prove an interesting one.

Mr. Sangster left last night for Vancouver, where he will remain until Friday, lining up exhibits.

COLLECTOR HAS TO MAKE EXPLANATIONS

Questions as to Poll Tax Imposed by City This Year—Regulations Cover Two Levies

Up to date $3,000 of the road tax and $5,000 of the poll tax has been secured by the city, Collector Gower stated yesterday. This is the first year that the poll tax has been collected by the city in place of the Provincial Government, and Mr. Gower has to spend considerable time in explanations. The road tax collections are not quite as good as at the same time last year, but he points out that many people have gone away.

Every citizen over the age of 21 years, residing in the city of Victoria, is liable to pay the road tax of $2 unless he or she is assessed for land taxes within the city, is a member of the active militia or naval force of Canada, or is over 60 years of age.

Every citizen over 18 years of age, residing in the city, and who has resided in the Province of British Columbia for at least one month, is liable for the poll tax of $5 unless he or she paid to any municipality in the Province assessed taxes to the value of $5 on real property last year (if these taxes less than $5 difference to be paid in poll tax); has paid or is liable to pay poll tax in any other province; is over 60 years of age with yearly income not over $700; is in the active naval or militia service of His Majesty; or saw overseas war service and returned medically unfit or temporarily invalided, whether now attached or not.

Every employer of labor is liable for his employees' road and poll taxes and may deduct them from any wages or salary due or to become due. Each employer must furnish to the collector on demand a list of all persons in his employ liable to pay these taxes.

LANDS MINISTER BACK FROM TOUR

Hon. T. D. Pattullo Says Provincial Farmers Will Have No Worry If They Can Find Market

Hon. T. D. Pattullo, Minister of Lands, returned yesterday from the Interior, where he inspected the Provincial Government's irrigation scheme at Oliver and opened the annual regatta at Kelowna.

Mr. Pattullo was favorably impressed with the crop prospects in the Okanagan country, and says that if the marketing problem can be solved this year, the orchardists will have little to worry about.

LAUREL CANNERS PLAN EXPANSION

SAANICH INDUSTRIAL CONCERN INSTALLS EQUIPMENT

Company Seeks Additional Capital to Meet Steady Demands of Market for Production

"The Laurel Canners, Limited, plant at present is capable of turning out 4,000 cans of fruit per day, and when the new equipment has been completely installed, probably next Spring, it will be capable of handling 10,000 one-gallon cans or 17,000 small cans every ten-hour shift," Mr. W. D. Johnson, sales manager of the Laurel Canners, Limited, manufacturers of pure food products, told The Colonist last night, in discussing the future plans of this industrial concern.

The plant of the Laurel Canners, Limited, is situated on the site of the Old Pumping Station, on North Quadra Street, at Lake Hill. Practically all the equipment has just been purchased, and the entire plant at the present time is valued at $10,000. Twenty residents of Saanich and Victoria are employed in the establishment.

The company cans local products—strawberries, loganberries, raspberries, black currants, blackberries, cherries, prune plums, pears, apples, peaches, apricots, rhubarb and crabapples; while strawberries, red and blue plums, apricots, peaches, loganberries, blackberries and raspberries are made into jams also.

In addition to the fruits that the concern preserves, stringless green and wax beans are being packed, and the company hopes next year to handle all kinds of vegetables. This is the third year that the company has put up beans, and the popularity of this canned product has been steadily increasing.

Demand for Products Increases

"The demand for the Laurel Canners, Limited, products is becoming greater each year, although still better support locally is desired. The turnover of the company when it first organized in 1916 for that year was approximately $500. This amount has grown steadily until last year the turnover reached the figure of between $16,000 and $18,000. It is expected that the amount of the concern's business this year will reach the $50,000 mark," Mr. Johnson stated.

Mr. Johnson pointed out that the foreign markets handling the products of the Laurel Canners, Limited, range from Great Britain, right across Canada and to the Orient. All local wholesalers handle the company's goods, while the majority of retailers have the various canned fruits and jams manufactured by this expanding concern on their shelves. Mr. Donald H. Bain is the company's distributing agent for the Mainland for all points as far east as Winnipeg.

This plant was started on a small scale in 1916 by Mr. W. J. C. Ede, a well-known Victorian, who is at present the factory manager of the concern. In 1918 he was joined by Mr. Walter Westgate, and the firm became known as Ede & Westgate, Laurel brand goods. In the following year the concern was formed into a limited liability company, and registered as the Laurel Canners, Limited, with an authorized capital of $50,000.

Raises Authorized Capital

To meet the demands of the foreign markets, it was found necessary this year to increase the plant, and the company secured authorization to increase its capital to $250,000, of which they are offering to the public today $50,000 worth of eight per cent cumulative preference stock, par value $50 per share, and $50,000 ordinary stock, which is being taken up by the farmers on the basis of ten per cent of the fruit they deliver to the factory.

"We could handle all the pears and apples in the district, could preserve them and offer the public the very best in quality if we had the wherewithal to put them up. At present we have the orders for the finished products, and we hope that we will be able to deliver the goods. The machinery we have now is capable of employing fifty men and twelve women, running two eight-hour shifts, and with the investment of more capital in the company we would be able to employ at least double that number and likely many more later," Mr. Johnson declared.

Mr. Johnson said that the present quarters were inadequate to handle the increasing business, and pointed out that the company intended building next year close to the present site and near railway trackage. It is proposed to erect a building, 80 feet by 200 feet, three storeys high, at a cost of between $10,000 and $12,000. The concern would also like to install a dehydrating plant and a bottling works.

Over eighty farmers living in Saanich are now bringing their fruit to the plant, and are thereby becoming shareholders in the concern. The company is purchasing everything possible in the city, and is taking produce only from white men.

The Manufacturing Plant

The plant is divided into three sections, there being the room where the fruits are washed, put in tins and cooked, the cooling room and the packing room. The cooling room will accommodate 300 crates of fruit at one time, while the packing room will hold 5,000 cases of preserved fruit. The company supplies the growers who are its customers with crates. There is about $20,000 worth of finished products now on hand at the plant.

The fruit, when delivered by the growers, is placed in the cooling plant. From there it is removed to the grading table, where it is graded and placed in tins. The fruit then passes through the syruper, then through the exhaust to the steaming machine. Covers are automatically placed on the tins. The sealed tins of fruit are placed in retorts, huge iron tanks, which are twelve feet deep and four feet wide. They are left there for an average of thirty minutes, which cooks the contents. They are then cooled, labelled and packed, and placed in the warehouse ready for delivery. There are three of these retorts in the plant, each of which holds 1,150 small sized cans.

Mr. Johnson states that investment of capital in this company is a good investment, in that such capital would be assisting the cause of industrialism in Saanich, creating more employment for its people, in addition to being a good safe proposition personally for the investor.

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OBITUARIES

PENNICOTT—There passed away on Monday afternoon at St. Joseph's Hospital, Mrs. Rachael Ann Pennicott, aged fifty years. She was born in Toronto, and had been a resident of this city for the past five years. The funeral will take place on Thursday at two o'clock from the Sands Funeral Chapel, the Rev. Frank Hardy officiating, assisted by Commandant Hoddinott. Interment will be made at Ross Bay Cemetery.

BEAL—The death occurred yesterday morning at the residence of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Cross, 224 Wilson Street, of Mrs. Mabel Alberta Beal, aged nineteen years. Born in Vancouver, she had lately resided at Port Angeles. She is survived by her parents, her husband, Mr. Garnet W. Beal, and an infant daughter; also two brothers and two sisters residing at home. The funeral will take place on Saturday, August 18, at 2 o'clock from the Sands Funeral Chapel, and interment will be made at Ross Bay Cemetery.

HOCK—The funeral of Hock Lum Wong Hock Do took place yesterday morning at 11 o'clock from the B.C. Funeral Parlors. Interment was made in the Chinese cemetery.

PROVINCIAL POLICE ARE ON THE MOVE

Quarters at Court House Being Deserted for New Ones Occupied in Old Drill Hall

The Provincial police quarters in the Court House on Bastion Square are in a state of confusion. The reason is accounted for by the fact that the department is on the move. By Friday it is expected the members of the headquarters staff located in Victoria will be in the new location in the Old Drill Hall on Menzies Street.

A start was made yesterday in making the transfer, and as a result part of the equipment from now until the moving is completed will be in one place and part in the other, to the inconvenience of the staff.

The quarters in the Court House for a long time have been too small, although added to from time to time by taking in other rooms on the ground floor. The decision to move, while inconvenient for the time being, will afford the staff excellent quarters when all is in place.

The rooms formerly used as armories and as officers' and men's quarters on the north side of the Drill Hall have been remodelled for the new police offices. Commodious rooms have been created, both on the ground floor and on the upper one.

Here the superintendent, Col. J. H. McMullin, and the chief inspector, Walter Owen, will have offices. There will be ample accommodation also for the staff covering this district and the local officers and office employees.

Provision is made also for a comfortable court-room in the building, and emergency cells have been likewise provided.

The main floor of the Drill Hall has not been interfered with by the locating of the Provincial force in the row of offices on the north side.

BOULEVARD FRONTAGE CHARGE IS DESIRED

Oak Bay Will Ask Union of B.C. Municipalities to Support Amendment for Maintenance

Support in having the Municipal Act amended to permit the levying of a frontage charge to cover boulevard maintenance will be asked by Oak Bay at the coming convention of the B. C. Municipalities. Municipal Clerk Blandy will represent the municipality.

At the present time Oak Bay pays the cost of keeping up its boulevards out of general revenue, no power to make a special levy upon property fronting on the improvement being provided in the Municipal Act. The Council, however, wishes to have an amendment passed at the next session of the Provincial Legislature, making the frontage tax possible. It is not intended to levy such a charge during the life of local improvement by-laws covering the construction of boulevards, but to commence when the by-laws have reached the end of their ten-year life. Most of the by-laws are about terminated.

The cost of maintaining the boulevards out of general revenue at present places over a mill on the tax rate. The Oak Bay Council feels that upkeep cost should be borne by the owners of property facing on the boulevarded streets.

The city of Victoria makes a frontage charge for boulevards under powers given in its private act of 1920. The maintenance charge does not start with the end of the construction by-law's life, but immediately the improvement is put in, the construction and maintenance levies being made concurrently.

Oak Bay will also bring before the convention the question of advertising for elections. At the present time municipalities are required to advertise for nominations, setting forth the qualifications, and must continue this advertising up to the day of the election, in spite of the fact that this seems an absolutely useless procedure to the Oak Bay Council. The law also makes separate advertisements necessary for the Council, School Board and Police Commission, which also seems a waste of money to Oak Bay, which would run only one advertisement. The municipality will ask the union to have the law altered.

The third request which is to be made of the union is that it give support to Oak Bay's move for an amendment to the existing statute, to permit the municipality to contribute toward the upkeep of Memorial Avenue.

FRUIT INTERESTS MEET AT SOOKE

WHOLESALERS, GROWERS AND CANNERS TO GET TOGETHER

Questions Affecting Industry Will Be Dealt With at Gathering Being Held at Nearby Point

The fruitgrowers' meeting to take place at the Sooke Hall at 8 o'clock this evening will not only be an interesting gathering of all those connected with the small-fruit industry, but it may prove to be an important event in the development of the small-fruit industry in the districts surrounding the City of Victoria.

Fruitgrowers from Keating, Gordon Head and Metchosin will be represented at the meeting to discuss marketing problems with jam manufacturers and wholesalers. The Provincial Government Market Commissioner at Calgary will also be present to describe the berry market situation on the Prairies.

"We shall never succeed if we keep on wasting our time by throwing rocks at each other," says Mr. A. Kohout, secretary of the Sooke Farmers' Institute. "But if the farmer, wholesaler and jam manufacturer can find a way of working together, our economic problems will, to a large extent, disappear and we can work wonders for our districts and city. From an agricultural standpoint the south end of Vancouver Island must move as a unit, first by adaptation of existing conditions and advantages, and secondly in marketing."

The Victoria Chamber of Commerce is expected to be represented at tonight's meeting at Sooke. Jam manufacturers and business men interested in the small-fruit industry will be made welcome and given an opportunity to air their views.

Miss Thorpe and Miss MacLachlan, two well-known Victoria singers, will add vocal selections to the programme.

WOULD CEASE OILING AND CUT EXPENDITURE

A recommendation that no more money be spent for road oiling this year, thus resulting in a saving of $1,795.05 over the estimate, was made to the City Council Monday night by the finance committee. It drew from Alderman Sangster, chairman of the works committee, the declaration that he resented the action of the finance committee in laying this matter before the Council without referring it to his committee.

It was pointed out to him by Alderman Ker, that as there was no works committee meeting last week and he wanted quick action in the matter, he had brought it before the finance committee. The question was finally laid on the table in order to secure a report from the City Engineer. In the meantime there will be no further expenditure for oiling.

OBJECTION BY JUDGE

Mr. Justice Gregory Against Matters of Little Urgency Being Brought Up in Chambers

While objecting to the bringing up of matters of little urgency in the Supreme Court Chambers, Mr. Justice Gregory finally consented yesterday morning to hear a brief resume of a suit McIntyre vs. Haynes, after Mr. J. W. deB. Farris had asked him to do so, principally on the grounds that considerable expense had been incurred in anticipation that a full hearing would be permitted.

The case was one involving a rehearing, on a question of law, of a case in which Judge Brown, of Vancouver, gave a decision. It affects eighty acres of land at Okanagan Falls, worth about $10,000. His Lordship, after hearing representations of both counsel, Mr. Farris and Mr. R. H. Pooley, asked for an exchange of written statements between them, promising to make his decision upon these documents.

REPORTS LACK OF WORK IN CALIFORNIA CITIES

Former Canadian Banker Advises Vancouver to Seek to Have Over-Supply Come to Province

From 30 to 50 per cent of the people drifting into California, and Los Angeles in particular, are idle and cannot get work, says Mr. G. M. Gibbs, formerly a banker in Canada, who has recently returned to Vancouver after a prolonged stay in the South.

He addressed the insurance, financial and real estate bureau of the Vancouver Board of Trade in the Hudson's Bay private dining-room, and urged that steps be taken in Vancouver to bring that group of dissatisfied men to British Columbia.

The great bulk of them, he said, were sons of retired wealthy farmers from the middle states, and were of a class suitable for taking up land in this Province.

"You hear a lot about the lucky ones in Los Angeles," he remarked, "but you do not hear anything about the failures and those who are unable to get work."

Mr. Gibbs paid a warm tribute to the efficiency of the Californian chambers of commerce and declared that he was not knocking the country in any way. Even the chambers of commerce were now warning people without money to stay away, he said.

OAK BAY AVENUE FIRE CAUGHT JUST IN TIME

Slight Damage Done to Plumbing Store of Mr. J. S. Sledge Near Corner of Foul Bay Road

The fire department had a busy day yesterday answering calls. Fortunately little damage resulted from the outbreaks, although a fire at the plumbing and heating shop of Mr. J. S. Sledge, near the corner of Oak Bay Avenue and Foul Bay Road, threatened to result in something serious.

Called to this address at 6.30 o'clock last evening, the Oak Bay branch and the No. 2 fire hall on Yates Street both answered.

The fire was caught in time so that little damage resulted, the greater amount being by water used in getting control of the outbreak.

The cause of the fire is believed to have been due to the spontaneous ignition from a bundle of refuse becoming heated.

The store of J. S. Pennell, next door, escaped without injury except a little damage at the rear adjoining the part which suffered in the shop of Mr. Sledge.

Shortly after noon the department was called out by a false alarm rung in from near the Strand Hotel.

A grass fire called the firemen out at 4 o'clock, and again last night at 8 o'clock another call from Beacon Hill necessitated a run.

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ALDERMAN SANGSTER AWAITS NEXT MOVE

Opponent of Comptrollership Declares City Should Have Manager—Would Alter Mayor's Duties

"I am waiting to see what their next move is," announced Alderman George Sangster yesterday, when asked what his stand would be as an opponent of the policy now before the Council in regard to the comptrollership.

"I favor putting a manager in charge of the city hall," said the alderman. "I would have a mayor at a nominal salary to act as chairman of the Council and to fulfill social duties. If it isn't possible to get such a plan through this year, I want to see the present officials carry on until such times as the changes I suggest can be secured. I shall at least insist that the by-law now before the Council, defining the duties of the City Comptroller and City Treasurer, be amended to make definite that portion which the auditors have commented upon as indefinite."

PREPARE FOR FAIR

Local Goat Breeders Held Meeting Last Night and Discussed Arrangements

The Victoria and District Goat Breeders' Association held a meeting last evening in the Y.M.C.A. rooms, with Mr. C. Woolley, the president, in the chair. The business of the meeting was largely devoted to the making of arrangements for this section of the Fall Fair.

Selection was made of Mr. T. Clarke for superintendent, while the show committee will consist of Messrs. N. Stevens, Farrant, Bradbury, Graves, Boucher, C. Woolley and Mrs. Boucher. The show secretary will be Mr. Boucher.

Numerous specials have been collected, it was announced. There were also reported to be many inquiries for entry forms from prospective exhibitors from Seattle and elsewhere, so that the exhibits in this class promises to be very large.

The judge for the Fair will be Mr. J. Needham, of Seattle.

PLATINUM PRODUCTION

A side line of the nickle and copper industries of the Sudbury district is the production of the platinum group of precious metals for the whole of Canada for 1922 was $124,203, and of this amount $123,049 came from the nickle and copper ores. Platinum production was $45,783; palladium, $47,060, and rhodium, osimium, ruthenium and iridium, $31,360. Platinum is worth $97.62 per ounce.

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G.W.V.A. EXECUTIVE DISCUSSES PENSIONS

Receives Donation of 500 Cigarettes for Soldier Patients in Hospitals —Election of Officers

At the meeting of the executive council of the Victoria branch of the Great War Veterans' Association, a case was discussed at considerable length regarding a man who had been informed that there was nothing on record to warrant him being elegible for treatment even though he was in receipt of a pension for disability. The meeting felt that the public was not sufficiently aware of such cases of this nature, and the association will do all in its power to see that any ex-service man being so treated shall receive full support. One of the members present asked, "Is the Board of Pension Commissioners doing its duty under such circumstances?"

A donation of five hundred cigarettes was made for ex-service men who are still patients in the local hospitals.

Delegates from the association who attended the committee of representatives of the various local ex-service men's bodies to arrange for the reception and entertainment of the members of the American Legion, who will visit Victoria on Saturday and Sunday, September 8 and 9, reported that another meeting of the committee will be held tomorrow night, at 8 o'clock, in the Army and Navy Veterans' rooms, Hamley Building.

The next regular business meeting of the G.W.V.A., local branch, will take place next Tuesday night, August 21, in the club premises, when the annual election of officers will take place, and other important matters considered.

INSTITUTIONS BENEFIT BY MR. D. R. KER'S WILL

Legacies Left to Hospital, Christ Church Cathedral, Y.W.C.A., Y.M.C.A. and Orphan's Home

By the will of the late Mr. D. R. Ker, several institutions in the city requiring assistance are to receive legacies. In addition to $5,000 to the Christ Church Cathedral building fund, the Royal Jubilee Hospital receives a similar sum.

The Protestant Orphanage, the Y.M.C.A., and the Y.W.C.A., each benefit to the extent of $1,000.

City and District

Forfeits Bail—When George L. Carrington failed to appear in city police court yesterday to answer to a charge of being drunk, a bail of $100, which he had put up, was declared forfeit.

Mayor at Nanaimo—Mayor Hayward went up to Nanaimo yesterday to attend the convention of the Associated Boards of Trade of Vancouver Island.

Chinamen Fined—Fred C. Lee and Harry Chan, two young Chinamen charged in police court yesterday with speeding in motor cars, were assessed $30 each.

Curfew Is No More—The curfew by-law, which was never operative, is repealed. The City Council on Monday night finally passed a by-law bringing this about.

Equipment Breaks—The breaking of the concrete mixer on two occasions has delayed the paving of the Johnson Street extension by the Cotton Company.

To Buy Instruments—The purchase of several instruments and a bass drum by the fire chief for the firemen's band was authorized by the City Council on recommendation of the finance committee.

Stenographer Appointed—Miss D. Lawlie has been appointed stenographer in the Oak Bay Municipal Hall to replace Miss S. Clarke, who is leaving at the end of this month to be married.

To Lease Land—The execution of a twenty-one-year lease between the Dominion Government and the city covering the land and water lot required for a public landing stage at the foot of Garbally Road, was authorized by the City Council.

Committee Meets Today — The Legislative Committee of the City Council will meet this afternoon at 2 o'clock to consider what questions should be taken up by the city delegates at the coming convention of the Union of B.C. Municipalities.

Date Set for Trial—Tuesday morning of next week, commencing at 10 o'clock, was the date set by Judge Lampman yesterday for the trial of Rex versus Weaver. Defendant was committed from the Saanich police court on a charge of shooting at a Hindu with intent to do bodily harm.

Canadian Legion—The regular fortnightly meeting of the local post of the Canadian Legion will take place this evening at 8 o'clock, in the club rooms, 1406 Douglas Street. Matters of importance will be discussed, and all members have been urged to attend.

Action Is Delayed—When the by-law defining the duties of the city comptroller and city treasurer again came before the City Council Monday night, Alderman Andros moved that it be laid on the table for two weeks, and Alderman Sangster seconded the motion, which passed nem. con.

Will Need More Funds—In several years' time the funds at present available for the Victoria-Saanich beaches and parks committee will be entirely inadequate, and an increase will be necessary, Alderman Todd told the City Council Monday night, in referring to the growth in popularity of the beaches.

Admits Report True—"I would like to ask your Worship whether it is true that there was a leakage in the Ka-Zu shipment," said Alderman Woodward to Mayor Hayward at the commencement of the City Council meeting Monday night. "It is quite true," smiled the Mayor. "One bottle was empty when it reached me."

No Quorum at Meeting—Owing to lack of a quorum, the scheduled meeting of the Bakers and Cake Makers Section of the Retail Merchants' Association of Canada, which was to have been held last night, did not take place. A number of the members of the section gathered, however, and an informal talk on the sales tax was held.

Large Maps Wanted—The special maps which the Court of Revision desires to have purchased for the Assessor's Department are drawn to a large scale on which the assessment of each parcel of land will be pencilled so that it will be possible to make comparisons more readily than if the figures had to be looked up in the assessment roll. The visualization will assist the assessment work.

Installed Officers—The first fortnightly meeting for August was held by Victoria Review, Women's Benefit Association, in the Knights of Columbus Hall, Government Street, last evening, Mrs. Mary Morley presiding. The installation of the lady-at-arms, Mrs. Olsen, and the picket, Mrs. Preston, took place. Arrangements were also made for a "penny social" to be held in the near future.

No Action Taken—At a meeting of the stationers of the city yesterday afternoon in the Chamber of Commerce rooms the question as to whether or not they should follow the lead of Vancouver stationers in not observing a weekly half-holiday was discussed. No resolution was passed, but it appeared to be the feeling of the meeting that no departure should be made from the present policy.

Elk Lake Resort—Motor tourists and many residents of Victoria are patronizing the new tea-house opened this Summer by Mr. Pease at Elk Lake Beach, and known as Hamsterley Lakeside. During the hot days of the last few weeks the bathing accommodation afforded there and the cool verandas of the house where tea is served, and where are located bridge and mah jongg tables, have been a most enjoyable attraction.

Sending Out Notices—While it is not required by law, the Oak Bay municipality in sending out to the owners of property which will go to tax sale unless the arrears are paid up before September 8, a special notice in an effort to prevent reversions. There are at present 150 parcels on the tax sale list, but this will be cut down considerably, in all probability, before the sale takes place on September 8.

Missionary Society Picnic — The Missionary Society of the First Congregational Church held its annual picnic yesterday at the Gorge Park, about twenty persons leaving the city by street car at 2:30. The afternoon was spent in boating and bathing, the gardens making a pleasing scene for the outing. Tea was served at the Japanese tea gardens. A collection was taken up in aid of the society's funds, a fair sum being realized.

Would Discuss Union Matters—Alderman Gillespie, at the meeting of the City Council, Monday night, said that the Council should have an opportunity to discuss what matters were to be brought before the coming convention of the Union of B.C. Municipalities. Mayor Hayward pointed out that next Monday would be too late, but that the Legislative committee might meet and report in time for the works committee meeting on Friday afternoon, when the whole Council sits.

Want Boulevards Removed—A request from the Police Commission that the boulevards on the west side of Menzies Street, from Quebec to Belleville Streets, and on the south side of Belleville Street, from Menzies to Oswego Streets, be removed in order to provide more parking space was received by the City Council Monday night and referred to the chairman of the public works committee and the city engineer to report to the public works committee.

Secures Appointment—Mr. H. S. Hurn, a teacher in Victoria public schools for some years, has been appointed supervising principal of the Prince Rupert public schools. Unforeseen circumstances prevented Principal Edward S. Martin, of Nanaimo, the original choice of the Prince Rupert School Board, from accepting the position when it was proffered. Mr. Hurn has been highly recommended by Mr. George H. Deane, municipal school inspector of this city.

To Refill Baskets—A complaint that the flower baskets hanging from the lamp standards outside the City Hall were among the poorest in the business section was lodged with Mayor Hayward yesterday. He decided to have them refilled and again hung up. While the city will eventually have to remove all the baskets in the downtown district, the Mayor thinks they can be left up for a while yet, as he says that some of them have been properly attended to, and have lasted well since being put up for the Maytime Frolic.

Crowd Enjoys Music—Several employees of the C.P.R. steamer Princess Charlotte, which was lying at the Belleville Street wharves on Sunday night, played a number of selections on their banjos from a position on the upper deck. The strains of the music floated across the waters of the Inner Harbor, and it was not long until a number of people gathered on the Causeway to listen to the entertainment, which was greatly enjoyed. The artists did not know that their efforts were causing such pleasure until they heard those along the waterfront according the players well-merited applause.

Dispute Over Gates—The city claims the E. & N. Railway should pay the cost of installing safety gates at the ends of the railway portion of the Johnson Street Bridge, while the company says the money should come out of its original contribution. On recommendation of the city engineer, the City Council instructed the installation of gates for both the vehicular and railway sections of the bridge, and the reference of the question in dispute to the Board of Railway Commissioners as agreed to by the railway company. If the Board decides against the company, the latter will pay the cost of its gates.

Refused to Hear — Mr. Justice Gregory refused in chambers yesterday to consider an application to restrain Leslie Creery, a fourteen-year-old jockey, from riding at the races at Vancouver. The boy, it was claimed, had been apprenticed to Mr. A. E. Woods and under the agreement should not be allowed to break the contract. Mr. C. L. Harrison, on behalf of the boy and his parents, contended that a boy under fourteen years of age, as this boy was when the agreement was entered into, could not be bound by an apprenticeship rule. His lordship, however, refused to break the long vacation rule by hearing the application.

FOOD AND THE EYE

The appointment of a Parliamentary Committee to inquire into the practice of coloring foodstuffs (merely, of course, to see that there is no injury to public health) will find, says The Westminster Gazette, some odd differences about the palate of the eye in various parts of the country. Why is it, for example, that Cheshire cheese must be red for London and the southern counties, and creamy for the Northern areas? It is precisely the same cheese, unaffected in flavor or substance by the use of anatto. Probably a good many generations of grandmothers have passed since the first buttermaker found that a skilful use of carrot gave the product of the churn a more appetizing appearance. Is carrot still used or have buttermakers entirely surrendered to coal-tar coloring? Egg farmers still use coffee to increase their supplies of the brown egg that is so popular. Preserved peas that are not kept green are unsaleable, yet in some cases the colorless pea might well be more wholesome food. Visitors to the Channel Islands eat quantities of margarine in the belief that it is rich butter merely because it has that high golden appearance peculiar to the dairies of Jersey and Guernsey. —Yorkshire Post.

Once Is Enough

When Maurice Francis Egan was United States Minister to Copenhagen he made a practice of going through the Provinces of Denmark once a year, and lecturing on American literature. One night when the present King and Queen of Denmark were dining at the United States Legation the King, who was at that time Crown Prince, said to Mr. Egan:

"I receive agreeable reports of your lectures in the provinces. Do you use a different lecture every time?"

"I always use the same one, your Majesty," the Minister answered.

"But what do you do if people come a second time?"

"They never come a second time," was the answer.—Kansas City Star.

ASSOCIATED BOARDS FAVOR PRESERVATION

Convention of Island Traders Practically Unanimous for Saving of Cameron Lake Forest

NANAIMO, Aug. 14.—With one dissenting voice, that of Mr. J. W. Coburn, a lumber manufacturer of Nanaimo, the delegates to the sixth annual convention of the Vancouver Island Associated Boards of Trade, went on record here today as being in favor of the preservation of the big trees of Cameron Lake on the Island Highway. After considerable discussion a resolution, sponsored by Mr. J. W. Spencer, of Victoria, calling upon the Provincial government to investigate the cost of acquiring the tract, by purchase, exchange or expropriation, was carried.

Discussion of the question revealed the sharp cleavage of opinion between those who would preserve the natural beauties of the Island and foster its growing tourist business, and those who hold that the great need of the country is the development of its industries through the exploitation of its natural resources.

It transpired that the Cameron Lake tract was the property of the Victoria Lumber Company, of Chemainus, which had offered its holdings to the government for $500,000. The offer had been refused; and the company had subsequently considered an offer made by logging operators to purchase the timber for $800,000.

Messrs. C. T. Cross and J. W. Spencer, of Victoria, leading the debate in behalf of the resolution, strongly urged the necessity of preserving, wherever possible, such magnificient examples of the primeval forest growth of the Island. Criticism of logging methods was crystallized by one speaker, who said that the Island Highway, on some of its northern stretches, was rapidly becoming a highway of desolation; and that tourists were already complaining that the road was unsightly in these places. It was urged also, that the nature of modern logging operations was such that the logger came, took his present dollar, left nothing but a waste behind him, and would destroy the timber asset of the Island within the next twenty-five years.

Mr. Coburn said that the expense of this scheme of preservation would be an unwarrantable tax upon the community. The country needed to develop its industries more than it needed to spend vast sums for the benefit of tourists. As to the particular stand of timber at Cameron Lake, it was ripe for cutting, and if it was not cut many of its finest trees would, before long, begin to decay. It should be understood, argued Mr. Coburn, that the old growth of fir timber on the Island would soon be a thing of the past, and it was useless to deplore it.

When the resolution, as amended by Mr. Spencer, to suggest investigation rather than outright purchase by the government, was put to the meeting, it was seen that Mr. Coburn was alone in his opposition, the convention as a whole showing itself strongly of opinion that the famous trees should be saved from the axe.

NANAIMO CONVENTION ENDORSES STEEL PLAN

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unless it were set on foot under the protection of the government. There was in existence an American ironmaster agreement, made in 1911, which provided that no iron or steel works should be built in the West for twenty years; and it was a fact that all steel and iron, wherever it was manufactured in the United States, carried what was known as the Pittsburgh price, plus freight.

There were few other places in the world, outside of British Columbia, said Mr. Landahl, where iron works could be built on top of coal mines, with iron ore only twenty-five miles away. They had some of the greatest coal resources in the world in the Province. Their climate was such that it was worth a fifteen per cent saving in labor costs in the manufacture of steel. No matter where blast furnaces were built in the Province, the moment pig iron was available it would mean the starting of industries in all the towns. There was a waiting market on the Pacific Coast for 1,500 tons of pig iron a day.

"If you believe there are in this Province coaking coals, iron ore and human brains and energy to develop them with," concluded Mr. Landahl, "I ask you to endorse our scheme, and you will make your towns of importance in the world of commerce."

Murderer In Sight Of Scaffold Is Now Resigned to Fate

REGINA, Aug. 14.—Only one day from the scaffold, Victor Masson, murderer of three persons, is resigned to his fate.

"I guess life is not worth much after all, and I don't care," is what he told his spiritual adviser.

Masson killed Jean Chouvelon, Mrs. Chouvelon and their daughter, Marie, at Dumas, Saskatchewan, February 16, later setting their house on fire and stealing a sum of money and some goods.

Workers Electrocuted

SALEM, Ore., Aug. 14.—Two men were electrocuted in a sawmill at Westerburg, Ore., this morning. They were Eli Davidson, aged about 45, and L. M. Cole, aged 23. They were trying to raise a pole on which there was electrical wiring when the accident occurred.

THE WEATHER

Meteorological Office, Victoria, B.C., at 8 p.m., August 14, 1923.

SYNOPSIS

The barometer is rising over Northern British Columbia, and fine, warm weather is again becoming general on the Pacific Slope.

TEMPERATURE

	Min.	Max.
Victoria	51	69
Vancouver	54	76
Kamloops	54	86
Barkerville	44	86
Prince Rupert	54	66
Atlin	48	66
Calgary, Alta.	48	80
Winnipeg, Man.	56	68
Portland, Ore.	52	84
San Francisco, Cal.	54	62
Seattle, Wash.	50	78
Penticton	54	84
Grand Forks	50	84
Nelson	49	81
Kaslo	48	78
Cranbrook	42	82
Edmonton, Alta.	..	74
Prince Albert, Sask.	..	76
New Hazelton	38	69

TUESDAY

Maximum	69
Minimum	51
Average	60
Minimum on the grass	50

Bright sunshine (August 12), 13 hours, 24 minutes.

General state of the weather, clear.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

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STIKINE COUNTRY HAS RICH FUTURE

Prospect of Finding Oil Lures Prospectors to That Seldom-Explored Portion of Province

The Stikine country, although at present little more than unexplored, is regarded by mining men as one of the regions of British Columbia of greatest natural wealth—a veritable storehouse of valuable minerals. With transportation conditions improved, there should be tremendous development in that district during the next decade, according to those who know the land.

It is not often that photographs of the Stikine country find their way into print, but when Mr. Bert Kergin, Provincial Member for Atlin, visited Victoria last week, he gave The Colonist a group of pictures, a few of which appear on this page.

Means of travel, except by the river, which is regularly navigated by boats belonging to Barrington Bros., are exceedingly primitive in the Stikine country. Most of the ovreland traveling is done by horse and pack pony, although in a few districts tractors have been introduced to haul mine equipment and supplies.

The prospects of finding oil in the Stikine country are said to be good, and this feature of possible development has aroused much interest among prospectors. At one point near the junction of the Dease and Liard Rivers a fire burned continuously for two years in a mass of carbonaceous shale or impure lignite. This is regarded as a sign of extensive petroleum deposits in that section.

The country is not unknown as a mining area. Years ago, in the vicinity of Dease Lake, extensive mining operations were carried on.

Even in late years the Thibet Creek mine has continued to operate under the control for many years of a Victoria syndicate, and during the last year or two under option.

A Little Town With a History—Wrangell

Alaskan Port, Built Largely on Piles, Which Was Leased Many Years Ago by the Hudson's Bay Company From the Russians Before Alaska Was Purchased by the United States. It Is Close to the Main Approach to the Stikine.

One Way of Travel in Northern B.C.

Although There Are Few Roads in the Stikine Country and No Railroads at All, This Territory Is Being Invaded by One of the Newest Forms of Transportation—the Motor Tractor. The One in This Picture Is Hauling Mining Equipment Near McDames Creek.

DOUBTS LEGALITY OF ESTIMATES TRANSFER

Alderman Woodward Questions the Right of Council to Buy Maps With Superannuation Money

That it is doubtful whether the policy of the City Council in transferring money from one vote in the estimates to another referring to quite a different matter is legal was the statement made at the City Council Monday night in attacking a move to pay for certain maps for the assessor's department by using part of the money set aside for superannuation purposes.

The matter arose in a report of the Court of Revision, which recommended the purchase of a number of large scale maps for the sum of $1,680, and the transfer of that amount from the superannuation estimate.

Gives History

Alderman Woodward doubted whether the Council could make the proposed transfer without bringing in supplementary estimates, and he thought a legal opinion should be obtained.

Alderman Todd pointed out that the purchase of the maps had been provided for in the estimates at the beginning of the year, but that the overstepping of the estimate for labor in the assessor's department had eaten up this money. The Court of Revision believed it was desirable to purchase the maps, and would be glad to hear of any alternative methods of paying for them outside of the one suggested.

Alderman Woodward said that no transfer should be made from the superannuation estimate unless the superannuation question had been rediscussed.

The Council finally decided to leave the report of the Court of Revision over so that the opinion of the solicitor upon the point raised by Alderman Woodward could be obtained.

Alderman Woodward stated yesterday he was prepared to fight for the putting into operation of a superannuation scheme this year. He is going to try to prevent any transfer of the money set aside in the estimates for the inauguration of such a plan.

Employees Act

It is understood that delegations representing the various branches of civic employees will appear before the public works committee on Friday afternoon to urge the introduction of the superannuation principle. There is the sum of $8,000 in the estimates to cover the cost of superannuation for a portion of this year, but Mayor Hayward stated recently that he believed nothing would be done in 1923 in regard to the matter because of the cost of including in the scheme all branches of the civic service.

"I do not believe that superannuation for those civic employees coming directly under the Council would cost the city more than $24,000 a year," said Alderman Woodward yesterday. "Personally, I think that it would pay to spend that amount because a better class of employee can be secured when some security as to the future is provided. Railways, banks, and other larger corporations have found that it pays. I would not support any plan that did not include all employees coming directly under the Council. This would not include the police or the teachers, but I believe that they should be included if the Police Commission and the School Board so decide." Alderman Woodward claims that the superannuation scheme should be brought in this year at a time when the $8,000 will be sufficient to cover the cost up to the end of 1923.

Settler Drowned

NELSON, B. C., Aug. 13.—Charles Whitfield, aged 25, who arrived from Scotland last year, was drowned at Halcyon Hot Springs tonight, while boating.

Iodine is a by-product of nitrate.

ELKS' AQUATIC CLUB HOLDS BIG OUTING

Swimming Society Promotes Successful Function—Nearly Hundred Take Part in Sports

Nearly one hundred members and friends of the Elks' Amateur Swimming Club spent a most enjoyable time on Sunday at Beaver Lake, the occasion being the annual picnic of the organization. Automobiles conveyed the merrymakers from the Campbell Building at 11 a.m. to the scene of the day's outing, and after a dip in the Beaver Lake Reservoir had been enjoyed, everyone sat down to a most inviting lunch provided by the ladies of the party.

As the outing was a swimming club affair, most of those present spent the afternoon in their bathing costumes, and a great deal of amusement was caused by games and novel stunts in the water. Those of the party who had left their swimming apparel at home indulged in baseball games and other land sports and enjoyed themselves to the fullest extent.

About 6 p.m. the sunburnt party sat down to another delicious meal and great praise and thanks were accorded the ladies' committee which so ably managed the arrangements for the refreshments, which proved to be the feature of the day's outing. Those who assisted at the tables were Mrs. Collings, Mrs. McKay, Miss Emily Warburton, Miss Evelyne DuBois, Miss Bernice Greenwood, Mrs. Sidney R. Bowden, Miss Clegg, Miss G. Fox and Miss N. Warburton.

After the remains of the supper had been cleared away, those who had been exposed to the hot sun all afternoon took relief in the cool shade of the trees, while others went for a wander through some of the beauty spots surrounding the lake.

The signal for the return journey to town was given at about 9 p.m., and although tired and in most cases sunburnt, there was not a member of the party who was not reluctant to leave one of the most delightful picnic spots in the vicinity of Victoria.

At the close of the day it was unanimously decided to hold another similar outing in the near future, and in all probability the Elks' Swimming Club will again choose the same spot for this purpose.

Head of Navigation on the Stikine River

The Little Town of Telegraph Creek, the Gateway to the Great Stikine Country. Lately It Has Become a Popular Resort for the Hunters of Big Game.

REGISTRATIONS ATTAIN RECORD

OVER 250 TOURISTS SIGN NAMES IN SINGLE DAY

Publicity Bureau Is Busy Supplying Information to Thousands—Ferry Folders Prove Popular

The peak of registrations in any single day at the offices of the Victoria and Island Publicity Bureau in the Belmont House was reached on Saturday, when over 250 tourists signed the register. Forty-four telephone calls seeking information on a variety of topics were attended to, while a large number of queries asked over the counter were answered.

The Publicity Bureau now has four representatives in various Coast towns advising tourists to visit Victoria this Summer. Mr. Harold J. Palmer is located at Seattle; Mr. F. W. Tuffrey in Portland; Mr. H. F. Bird, Vancouver, B.C., and Mr. Oliver Hollingsworth, Spokane.

That nearly eighty trade and tourist bureaus in the principal cities of Canada and the United States are displaying prominently the literature of the Victoria and Island Publicity Bureau was the information given to The Colonist last night by officials of the local bureau, which is cooperating with all these organizations as well as with automobile associations and the service stations in Washington, Oregon and British Columbia in advertising the charms and possibilities of Vancouver Island.

The particular folder that the Publicity Bureau has lately issued which has caused so much favorable comment, is the one referring to ferry routes and rates. This bulletin is very complete in its information, and gives the motor tourist everything that he would like to know about the time tables of the ferries, the cost of carrying automibiles, automobile clearances on the various steamers operating in these waters, Canadian and United States Customs requirements, Victoria's Auto Camp, fine map of Vancouver Island and Puget Sound, and names of fresh water and fishing resorts on, and salt water fishing off Vancouver Island.

Big Demand for Ferry Folders

A big demand for these ferry folders has been received at the Publicity Bureau offices, and a great quantity of this literature has been sent out to those desiring the same. Several weeks ago the Bureau forwarded twenty-five of these folders to the Vancouver Automobile Club. The manager of the Mainland motorists' body, Mr. Fred J. Elkins, has written the Bureau, asking it to send the organization between 2,500 and 3,000 of these ferry bulletins. He states that he will have no difficulty in disposing of these folders, and that one of the club's men at Blaine, Mr. Ronald Goodchild, is more than anxious to obtain this literature to give to the motorists who intend making the journey to Vancouver Island via the ferry routes. The local Bureau is supplying the Mainland body with these ferry folders at the rate of 500 a week.

"This ferry folder is the most practical bulletin that has passed through my hands this Summer," writes Mr. Harold Crary, of the Information Bureau of the Seattle Chamber of Commerce. Mr. Crary, who has handled thousands of pieces of advertising literature, compliments the local publicity organization on its product, and has asked for a liberal supply of these bulletins, which have been forwarded to him for distribution in the American centre.

Requests for literature and information concerning many subjects continue to pour into the Publicity Bureau's offices, and the staff is kept busy attending to local inquiries and replying to intelligence which is being sought through the mails. Many of the tourists who have passed through and who are still in the city have made calls at the local Bureau and have taken away literature to send away to their friends back home or in other places and thereby persuade them to come to Victoria and see the wonders of the Island.

Indefinitely Postponed

"Johnny," said his aunt, "did you enjoy the book I sent you on your birthday?"

"Hain't look at it yet."

"Why, how is that?"

"'Cause ma said I'd have to wash my hands when I read it."—Boston Transcript.

Pensions Board Member Tenders Resignation

OTTAWA, Aug. 13.—It is reported here this afternoon that Lieut. Col. E. G. Davis, who succeeded Major Coristine as a member of the Pensions Board, has resigned.

Colonel Davis was formerly medical advisor in the Department of Soldiers' Civil Re-establishment.

The United States received 2514 gallons of seal blubber from the Pribilof Islands last year

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White Duck Lace Boots with rubber soles and spring heels. The ideal summer shoes for the kiddies. Sizes 7 to 10½. For this morning only Per pair **49c**
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At $3.95

In long straight lines with organdie collars, cuffs and pockets. Made from excellent quality checked gingham in blue and white, navy and white, orchid and white, brown and white and red and white; sizes to 40. Price **$3.95**

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—Main Floor

Girls' Cotton Knit Bloomers 25c

In pink or white, with elastic at knee and waist. Sizes 6 to 12 years. This Morning Special, pair ..... **25¢**
—2nd Floor

A Hundred Yards of Wash Fabrics at 39c Per Yard

You'll find it well worth your while to come early to secure your share of this offering, which includes a choice assortment of White Swiss Spot Muslins, Colored Embroidered Organdies and Colored Swiss Muslins. 27, 30 and 38 inches wide. Values to $1.25. This Morning Special, per yard **39c**
—Main Floor

Velveteens Special 89c

22-Inch Silk Finished Velveteens for children's wear and millinery purposes. Shown in myrtle, wine, paeon, cardinal, brown, scarlet and cream Regular value $1.50. This Morning, per yard

89c
—Main Floor

Embroidered Pillow Cases

Made from heavy linen finished cotton and neatly embroidered in many charming designs. Size 44 by 36. Regular value $3.75. Special at, per pair **$2.95**

White Honeycomb Bedspreads

Made from heavy yarns ensuring excellent wear. A limited quantity only. Size 66 by 88. Value $3.75. Special at, each **$2.98**
—Main Floor

120 Alarm Clocks at $1.69 Each

Heavily Nickelled Alarm Clocks with 4-inch dial marked in plain clear figures. Good timekeepers with loud ringing bells. Specially priced at **$1.69**
—Lower Main Floor

Smith Burners

A Boon to Housewives and Campers

The Smith Burner is a compact useful little Stove that will boil a quart of water in six minutes. It operates on the kitchen range, simply, effectively and economically. See it demonstrated on the lower main floor today and tomorrow. Regular value $3.50. Special Price **$1.50**
—Lower Main Floor

Four New Patterns in Open Stock Teaware

High-Grade English China in pretty floral and conventional designs, and in plain colors of rose, blue, green and canary.

23-Piece Tea Sets..... **$20.70**
21-Piece Tea Sets..... **$11.75**
21-Piece Tea Sets..... **$10.15**

Marmalade Jars
Handsome Etched Glass Jars with heavy plated tops and spoon complete for ..... **95¢**

Pickle Jars
Imitation Cut Glass in tall shape and neat design, for ..... **75¢**

One Gallon Crocks With Covers
Useful for storing butter, cakes, etc. Special value for this morning, crock and cover ..... **35¢**
—Lower Main Floor

Grocery Specials

Junket Powders, 2 packets for ..... **25¢**
Junket Tablets for making old fashioned curds and whey and cottage cheese, 2 packets for ..... **25¢**
Hansen's Orangeade Powder for a refreshing hot weather drink, 2 packets for..... **25¢**
Local Plums, assorted varieties, large basket..... **35¢**
Local Cooking Apples, 5 pounds for ..... **25¢**
Choice Dessert Peaches, large basket ..... **50¢**
Sliced Corned Beef, lean and fresh, per pound..... **35¢**
Stuffed Baked Ham, per pound ..... **70¢**
Jellied Veal, per pound **40¢**
Swift's Premium Boiled Ham, per pound..... **55¢**
—Lower Main Floor

Brush and Comb Special

A French Ivory Hair Brush with heavy solid back and long sturdy bristles, and a French Ivory Dressing Comb to match. This Morning Special **$4.25**
—Main Floor

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VETERANS ADVOCATE MANY ALTERATIONS

Tuberculous Body Adopts Recommendations Concerning Pension Board and D.S.C.R.

A special general meeting of the Tuberculous Veterans' Association was held in their quarters Monday night, at which a large number of members were present, and almost everyone took part in discussing and dealing with important matters affecting the welfare of the association.

Urgent communications from headquarters were read and immediately acted upon, including the selection of a delegate to attend the Dominion convention, which will be held in Ottawa August 20, and it was unanimously decided that Comrade Waterson would represent the Victoria unit at the Dominion-wide gathering.

Many matters dealing with changes in the procedure of the Pension Board and D.S.C.R. will be advocated by the Victoria delegate, and the following recommendations will be submitted for the endorsation of the assembly, having been passed unanimously by the Victoria unit after the citation of many known cases:

"Resolved that the Victoria branch Tuberculous Veterans' Association shall instruct the delegate to submit the following recommendations for the approval of the convention assembly:

"That none but qualified specialists shall be employed by the D.S.C.R. in the treatment of tuberculous patients.

"That when the Pension Board sees fit to reduce pension, especially in the case where the pensioner has dependents, the patriotic fund shall make up the difference up to 100 per cent until such time as the pensioner is adequately re-established in some suitable occupation.

As to Pension Reduction

"That the pension of a tuberculous veteran shall not be reduced by more than 10 per cent at any one time, irrespective of pensioner's progressive condition.

"That no member or ex-member of the Board of Pension Commissioners, or of the D.S.C.R., shall be appointed or represented on the Appeal Board.

"That the delegate shall strongly advocate the immediate adoption of a Dominion charter, and shall strongly urge the advisability of the T.V.A. becoming a self-supporting organization.

"That the Victoria branch shall endorse the agenda of the 1922 convention as amended by the Dominion command.

"That D.S.C.R. doctors and officials shall be compelled to discontinue interference with regard to the nature of employment that a tuberculous veteran decides to undertake when in receipt of inadequate pension."

The vice-president, Comrade Whitlaw, conducted the meeting successfully, and the members unanimously went on record as heartily endorsing the action of the Provincial Government in appointing Dr. A. S. Lamb to the position of travelling medical health officer for the Province, which was brought about by representations made some time ago by this association to Dr. McLean, Provincial secretary.

Between Girls

Madge: "I have lost all my illusions."

Marie: "Too bad! Did they want their presents back?"—Boston Transcript.

Social Events

Entertain at Tea Hour

Mrs. Arthur E. Lane and Miss Lane, who are guests at the Empress Hotel for the Summer months, entertained at the tea hour yesterday afternoon at the Empress Hotel. Among those who received invitations were: Countess d'Audiffret, Miss Agnew; Mrs. Appold, of La Hoja; Mrs. Elliott, Lady Barnard, Mrs. Adams Beck, Mrs. Beeven, Mrs. Robert Baird, Mrs. Barnacle, Mrs. Bowser, Mrs. A. J. Bennett, Mrs. Harry Briggs, Mrs. R. P. Butchart, Mrs. Cockburn, Miss Kitty Campbell, Mrs. Carey, Miss Carey, Mrs. Doig, Mrs. Day, Miss Dey, Mrs. Dwinnell, Mrs. French, Mrs. J. H. Gillespie, Mrs. Goddard, Mrs. Helmcken, Miss Helmcken; Mrs. Hall, of Boston; Mrs. E. C. Hayward, Mrs. Heming, Miss Heming, Mrs. W. J. H. Holmes, Miss "Tinker" Jones, Miss Kitto; Mrs. Lewis, of Denver; Mrs. Libby, Mrs. Lugrin, Miss Lugrin, Mrs. Maclure, Mrs. Mallin, Mrs. Moore, Mrs. Mayhew, Mde. Mongin, Mrs. Pemberton, Mrs. Plaskett, Miss Russell, Mrs. Rattenbury, Miss Rattenbury, Mrs. Stuart Robertson, Mrs. Shallcross, Miss Sayward, Mrs. A. deB. Shaw, Mrs. N. Shaw, Mrs. Wendell Shaw, Mrs. Turpin; Mrs. Palmer and Mrs. Bound, of New York; Mrs. A. E. Todd, Mrs. Chas. Wilson, Mrs. Herbert Wilson, Mrs. Robert Whyte.

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Honors Birthday

A very delightful party took place on Saturday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Pears, Vining Street, on the occasion of the eleventh birthday of their only daughter, Margery. The table was tastefully decorated with dahlias and sweet peas, the cake being the centre of attraction. A delicious tea was served, after which games and music were indulged in. The little guests included: The Misses Kathleen Allison, May Hick, Evelyn Gardiner, Sophia Hook, Annie Hook, Iris Donovan, Margaret Crawford, Rosie Jackson, and Masters Kenneth Walton Pears and George Richard Pears.

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Leaving for Home

Mr. Chas. H. Prudhomme and wife, who motored here from San Francisco, and have been visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Prudhomme, of 723 Wilson Street, the past fifteen days, expect to return home the latter part of this week. Mr. Prudhomme has visited, while here, all points of interest, and states he has had a very enjoyable time while visiting Victoria.

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Host at Dinner

Last night Mrs. A. C. Burdick entertained at dinner at her home on Rockland Avenue in honor of Mrs. Kilbourn, of Montreal, who is visiting her sister, Mrs. Walter C. Nichol. Covers were laid for fourteen guests, and the table was most effectively arranged in a decorative scheme of deep mauve and purple.

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Engagement Announced

The engagement is announced of Ursula, daughter of Mr. W. T. Edwards, Gordon Head, to Mr. William H. C. Ley, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ley, of Mt. Tolmie, the wedding to take place at St. Luke's Church, Cadar Hill, Thursday, August 16, at 3 p.m.

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Here From Kobe

Mr. and Mrs. Davidge, of Kobe, recently arrived in Victoria, where they came to meet their two sons and daughter, who have returned for the Summer holidays from school in England, and are staying at the James Bay Hotel.

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Progressing Favorably

The many friends of Miss M. Donnachie will be pleased to hear that she is progressing favorably after a recent operation at St. Joseph's Hospital for appendicitis.

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Left for East

Mrs. R. J. Whyte and son, Kendrick, left on Monday by the Empress of Canada for Vancouver, and then on to Montreal. Mrs. Hubert Wilson went over to Vancouver with her sister, and will return Thursday.

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Leave for Vancouver

Among the visitors to Vancouver who left on Sunday were Mrs. Frank Mellor and Miss Mellor, who are spending a week in the Terminal city, returning Friday morning.

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Visitors From Revelstoke

The Misses Margery and Sophie Langley, of Revelstoke, are spending a few days in Victoria, and are the guests of their aunt, Mrs. Charles Rhodes, Terrace Avenue.

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Here From New York

Mrs. Palmer and Mrs. Bound, of New York, are spending a few days in Victoria, and are the guests of Mrs. Turpin, Rockland Avenue.

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Returns to Capital

Miss Maraquita Nichol, who has been visiting friends in Vancouver and on the Mainland, returned to Government House on Monday.

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Visits Victoria

Mr. G. H. Stewart has arrived in Victoria from Eastern Canada, and is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Hill, "Hillhaven."

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Motored From California

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Townsend motored up from Los Angeles on a visit to the former's mother, Mrs. A. A. Townsend, Clarence Street.

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Here From Honolulu

Mrs. T. A. Jaggar, of Honolulu, is spending a few days in town, and is the house guest of Mrs. Charles Rhodes, Terrace Avenue.

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Chicago Visitors

Miss Robertson and Miss Atherton, both of Chicago, are the guests of Dr. and Mrs. Hermann Robertson, Clive Drive.

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Here From Vancouver

Mrs. Victor Spencer, Point Grey, accompanied by her children, has arrived in this city, where she will visit relatives for a few weeks.

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To Holiday Here

Mr. E. A. Campbell recently arrived in Vancouver from the East en route to Victoria, where he will join his family for several weeks' holiday.

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At Cadboro Beach

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Kenzie and daughter, of Vancouver, are spending a few days at the Cadboro Beach Hotel.

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Vancouver Visitors

Mr. and Mrs. W. Sangster, of Vancouver, are spending a few days in this city.

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Visiting in City

Miss Eva Johnson, of Portland, Oregon, is visiting Mrs. J. E. Jones, at Cedar Hill Road.

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On Visit Here

Miss Leigh, of Winnipeg, has arrived on a visit to Mrs. E. Parnell.

SALT SPRING ISLAND

At Harbor House

The following are guests at Harbor House, Ganges: Mrs. and Miss M. W. Robins, Mrs. E. Grindlay, Master G. Grindlay, Mr. W. R. Penny, Miss M. Hooper, from Vancouver; Mr. C. E. Hote, Montreal; Miss Meredith, Miss G. E. Cruickshanks, Miss M. E. Cotton, Victoria; Mr. J. B. Farquhar, Vancouver.

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Have Taken House

Dr. and Mrs. E. H. Lawson, from Vancouver, who have been visiting the island and were guests at Harbor House, have now rented, for some months, Mr. and Mrs. Casperson's house on Ganges Hill.

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Victoria Visitor

Mrs. Edward Cartwright, of Victoria, arrived last Wednesday at Ganges, where she is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Stewart Holmes, she will afterwards be the guest of Mr. and Mrs. E. Walter for a week.

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Demonstration Tour

Mr. Muir, of Vernon & Buckerfield, Vancouver, arrived on Monday and is spending a week on Salt Spring where he is demonstrating the culling of chickens.

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Take a House

Mr. and Mrs. Smith who have been visiting their sister, Mrs. H. Peters, of Ganges, have now rented Mr. Olaf Garner's house, at Ganges, where they will make their home.

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Left After Visit

Mrs. George Watts, of Victoria, and her two little girls, returned home on Saturday after visiting the Island where they were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. Burkett.

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Left for Woodhill

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Young, accompanied by their family, who have been living in Mr. O Garner's house, at Ganges, for eighteen months, left last week for Woodhill.

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Spending Fortnight Here

Mr. and Mrs. Northcott, of Vancouver, arrived on Friday at Fulford, where they will be guests for two weeks of Mr. and Mrs. Eaton, at the White House.

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Visiting at Woodhill

Mrs. Turner and her daughter are visiting the former's son, Mr. George Turner, of Woodhill, Ganges, until the end of August, when they will return to their home in Victoria.

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Visiting in Victoria

Miss M. Scott, of Ganges, left on Tuesday for Victoria where she will be the guest of Mrs. Henry Croft for a few days.

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Camping Out

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Mowat and family, of Ganges, are camping for a month at Mr. and Mrs. A. Blackburn's house, Duck Cove, Vesuvius.

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Back From Saturna

Miss Mary McMullen, of Chichester, England, arrived from Saturna last Saturday and is a guest for a few days at Harbor House.

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Welcome Visitors

Mr. and Mrs. Atkinson, of Victoria, arrived on Saturday at Ganges. They will be guests for a few days of Mr. and Mrs. T. Burkett.

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Visiting During Week

Miss Paterson, of Cowichan, has been a guest during the past week of Mrs. Turner and her son, of Ganges.

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Spending Week's Visit

Mrs. McKenzie, of Victoria, is a guest for a week of Col. and Dr. Bryant, of Fulford Harbor.

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Established Camp

Mr. and Mrs. Taylor and family, of Ganges, are camping for a few days at Cucheon Lake.

NANAIMO

Returns From Motor Tour

Mr. William Walker has returned from an extended motor tour which included Rossland, Kamloops, Lake Chelan and many other points in British Columbia and Washington. Mr. Walker motored over 2,000 miles and reports having had a most enjoyable time.

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Whist Prize Winners

At the Foresters' whist drive Monday evening the prize winners proved to be the following: Ladies: First, Mrs. Robinson; second, Mrs. L. Hindmarsh; third, Mrs. Patterson. Gentlemen: First, Mr. Hindmarsh; second, Mr. S. Davis; third, Mr. Sobley.

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Resumes Nursing Duties

Miss Bertha Brown returned to Victoria yesterday to resume her duties on the nursing staff of the St. Joseph's Hospital. She has been spending the last few weeks with relatives in this city.

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Resumes Studies at Berkeley

Dr. and Mrs. Drysdale have returned home from Victoria after seeing their daughter Jean away for California, where she will resume her studies at the University of California at Berkeley.

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Leaves for Lethbridge

Mr. Earl Welch left Monday for his home in Lethbridge after spending three months' holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Welch, Milton Street.

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To Visit Sister

Mr. Wm. Nicol, who has been employed with Mr. D. McConvey, of Gabriola Island, for the past few months, left Monday on a visit to his sister in Ontario.

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Tour Island

Mr. and Mrs. Little, former well-known residents of Nanaimo, have returned to their home in Seattle, after an auto tour of the Island.

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Return to Vancouver

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Woodward, of Vancouver, returned home Tuesday after visiting their son, Mr. W. J. Woodward, Newcastle Townsite.

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Will Reside in Drumheller

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Hill and family left Tuesday to take up their residence in Drumheller, Alta.

SAANICH

Visitors to Anchorage

Among the recent visitors to the Anchorage tea-gardens were the following: Miss A. Collier, Ellensburg, Wash; Mr. and Mrs. Daniels, St. Vital, Winnipeg; Bernard Ellems, Westmoreland, England; Mrs. R. Porter, Miss J. Porter, Miss G. Porter, and Miss Grace Sluggett, Victoria; Mr. and Mrs. A. Crawford, Mr. A. D. Mitchell, Miss M. A. Barrett, Miss Amy Barrett, Miss L. French, Mr. Robertson, and A. R. Fulton, Vancouver; Lillian Thomas, Philadelphia; Miss Isabel, W. Franklin, Philadelphia; Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Larkin, Boston; Donald A. White, Freddy Smith, Lloyd Lockwood, F. O. Miller, Seattle; Miss Kingsley and sister, San Francisco; Mr. and Mrs. P. R. Flam-A. E. Thompson, and Mrs. Hoetan, ing, son and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Victoria; Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Delidal, Rev. W. Kelly and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Maitland, Tennessee.

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Cruising Visitors

Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Robertson, of Vancouver, who have been enjoying a cruise aboard their yacht, the "Iola," spent several days at Brentwood during the past week. Prior to their departure, on Sunday morning, they expressed their delight with the place as a Summer resort, and also said how much they appreciated the kindness and courtesy extended to them during their stay here.

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THE DUCHESS OF YORK AT ROOF HOSPITAL

The Duchess of York Was Present at the Inauguration of a Roof Ward at a Hospital for Children, and Was Caught by the Photographer Intensely Interested in an Explanation Being Made by a Nurse at the Bedside of a Little "Wolf Cub" Patient.

PLANS BEING MADE FOR HEATHER DAY

Lady Douglas Chapter, I.O.D.E., Calls for Assistants in the Work—Report on Hospital Work

The monthly meeting of Lady Douglas Chapter, I. O. D. E., was held at headquarters yesterday afternoon, with Mrs. R. B. McMicking in the chair. Mrs. J. D. Gordon brought in an interesting report of her work among the sick soldiers at the Jubilee Hospital, where she was accorded a welcome by both the staff and the invalids. The resumption of this work by the chapter is much appreciated, and there is a special appeal to members for a regular supply of magazines and reading matter to be sent to Mrs. J. D. Gordon for this purpose.

Arrangements were completed for the sale of heather in the streets on Monday, August 27, to commemorate the departure of the first contingent from this city on August 26, 1914, a date never to be forgotten in Victoria. All members and friends who would assist in selling heather are asked to notify the convener, Mrs. Walter Burton, telephone 36483R, or to attend at municipal headquarters some time on Saturday afternoon, August 25, to prepare the heather for sale. A reception committee will be at headquarters on Monday to receive visitors, and those who took part in the Great War will be specially welcomed.

INTERESTINF ADDRESS

Miss Sproule, of Vancouver, Spoke Before Frances Willard Union of the W.C.T.U.

Miss Sproule, of Vancouver, gave an interesting address yesterday afternoon before members of the Frances Willard Union of the W.C.T.U. The meeting took place at the home of the president, Mrs. James McEwan, Blanshard Street, who presided at the session, which also dealt with the ordinary routine business of the organization.

Miss Sproule, among her many activities in connection with her work, pays great attention to those leaving prison, often meeting them on their departure with helpful suggestions for work in the future.

ST. GEORGE SOCIETY WILL PICNIC TODAY

The annual picnic of the Royal Society of St. George will take place today at Mount Douglas Park. At 2 o'clock tallyhos will leave the corner of Yates and Douglas Streets. Tickets for transportation can be obtained from Jowitt's or Cornwell's, on Fort Street, or from Litchfield's, on Government Street. The fares for children will be half price. Sports will be held during the afternoon, and some fine prizes will be competed for. The picnic will be a basket affair.

NEW SOURCE OF REVENUE

In an endeavor to see that nothing goes to waste in the Post Office Department, as well as in response to requests from philatelists in different parts of Canada, there has been established in the department an agency for the sale of all stamps not now in current use, as well as for the sale of current issues of all Canadian postage stamps.

It was found that there was in the department an accumulation of stamps that are now obsolete, but have value in the eyes of stamp collectors, and it was decided to convert which has hitherto been considered as old stock of no value into a source of revenue.

There has also arisen a demand from philatelists all over for selected sets of stamps of current issues that are perfect in design and printing, and such stamps are supplied by the department after careful selection by employees familiar with every detail in the preparation of postage stamps. Accordingly, a stamp agency has been established, and through this agency there has been sold up to date a considerable amount of stamps of both old and new issues. It is reported that there are over sixty journals published in the interest of stamp collecting and that there are, in the different countries of the world, at least six million stamp collectors.

It is in this market that the Post Office Department will find a sale for its old and current issues of stamps. From such sales it is expected that a very substantial revenue will be derived, as orders have already begun to come in from foreign countries as well as from Canadian philatelists.

Based on present scale of production Chile has enough nitrate to last 240 years.

HEMORRHOIDS
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Calvin Coolidge

Montreal Star

All sudden and unexpected changes in government are apt to be regarded with consternation by the mass of the people. For nations are like children, they fear to go in the dark. No matter how critical they may have been of his predecessor, they will commonly look askance at a new leader. Familiarity may breed contempt but, a strange paradox, confidence is frequently bred with it. When, therefore, President Harding was carried off without warning, after all danger from his illness was thought to have passed, the man in the street wondered at first what was going to be done. The late president may have earned much abuse during his tour in the West for his favourable attitude towards the World Court, but that did not alter the fact that he was a president of proved ability and energy. Who then was to replace him? Calvin Coolidge? The name had a reassuring sound to it. Even far from New England and the scene of his political exploits, in Nebraska and California, men, who took little interest in political affairs, must have recollected dimly that Coolidge was a good man. And in his own native New England, there must be supreme confidence that he will fill the office of president with dignity and efficiency.

New England Ancestry

For Calvin Coolidge is a typical product of New England. In 1630 John Coolidge settled in Watertown, Mass., and became a prosperous farmer. His descendants have all been farmers in their turn except for the present President of the United States. Calvin's father who owned a farm in the little village of Plymouth, Vermont, in addition to carrying on the farm, was the village storekeeper. It was here that Calvin was born on July 4, 1872. As a boy, he worked on the farm and in the store and attended the village schools in the Vermont towns of Ludlow and St. Johnsbury. He received his later education at Amherst College, where history and affairs attracted his attention and study. He specialized in these subjects and in his senior year he won a gold medal offered to students of the colleges of the United States by the Sons of the American Revolution for the best essay on "The Principles of the American Revolution." After graduating from college, he studied law in Northampton, Mass., where he was admitted to the bar. He took a prominent part in the city government and was early elected to the city council, and later to the offices of city attorney, mayor, and member of the Massachusetts in 1916 and was re-elected in 1917 and 1918. He was nominated for governor on the Republican ticket in 1918 to succeed S. W. McCall, and was elected governor in 1919. In the following year he was re-elected under circumstances that attracted nation-wide attention.

For Law and Order

For it was during his second administration that he had to cope with the Boston police strike. The members of the police force had formed a union and affiliated with the American Federation of Labor, although forbidden to do so by the police commissioner, Edwin U. Curtis, who suspended nineteen police officers for disobeying the rule prohibiting such action. On Tuesday, September 9, 1910, about seventy-five per cent of the police officers left their posts and a night of lawlessness followed. The next day Governor Coolidge called out the Massachusettes States Guard and, without any hope of compromise, expressed his determination to replace the striking police officers with men who would stay at their posts. Coolidge classed the striking police officers as deserters and refused to be intimidated by threats of a general strike. He declared with emphasis that "the authority of the Commonwealth cannot be intimidated or intimidated or coerced."

Governor Coolidge went to the people for re-election on no other issue than that of "law and order" as represented by his words and acts in the police strike. Before the election campaign was half over, it was evident that, although some labor organizations were hostile, the rank and file strongly supported his return. Coolidge himself was confident throughout that he would get the labor vote of his party, and asserted: "Labor was loyal during the war and I assert it will be found standing for law and order in this election. It cannot be bought." The final result showed how accurately he had estimated the temper of the people, for he was re-elected over his chief opponent by a plurality of about 125,000, with one exception the largest ever recorded in the state.

Refused Nomination

Not long afterwards the campaign for the presidential nomination opened and a Republican organization was formed to promote his candidacy. When this became known to Coolidge, however, he issued a statement refusing to permit a contest in his name for delegates in Massachusetts to the Republican National Convention. His explanation was typical of the man and his words were widely quoted. "The times require of men charged with public responsibility a singleness of purpose," he said. "The curse of the present is the almost universal grasping for power in high places and in low to the exclusion of the discharge of obligations. . . . . My paramount obligation is not to expose the great office of governor but to guard and protect it. . . . . My duty, clear, plain, unequivocal, is to the people of Massachusetts. To Massachusetts, unafraid, orderly, patriotic, American, in the discharge of every duty an example to the nation." While governor, he showed a cool judgment in legislation. In June, 1919, he vetoed the bill for increasing the pay of members of the Massachusetts House, arguing that their service was optional and not a means of livelihood; it was public service and should not be made a job.

At the Republican National Convention in 1920 he received a few votes on all ten ballots for president, and when the voting for vice-president began his victory was at once apparent and he was nominated by acclamation.

Simple in Life

The new president is remarkable for the simplicity of his life. When chosen governor, he did not abandon his modest residence in half of a semi-detached house in Northampton, but took a single room in a Boston hotel in the business district, returning the hundred odd miles to his home for week-ends. It is said that a visitor, arriving at Northampton from New York, asked the driver of a taxi cab standing in front of the railway station if he knew where Governor Coolidge lived. "I know the house," replied the chauffeur, and drove off with his fare. Nor did he show any anxiety regarding the location of the Governor's residence until he had turned into a residential street and drawn up finally before a large frame house, painted white, when he shook his head doubtfully. "Thought you said you knew the house," remarked the fare. "Oh, this is the house, all right," replied the driver, "but Cal only lives in half of it, and I'm danged if I c'n remember which half it is.'"

Coolidge has the reputation of being a "rotten politician." "So far as I know," said the local blacksmith, a power in Northampton politics, "he has never slapped a man on the back or bought him a drink at a bar." Nevertheless, Calvin Coolidge gets the votes, a fact which has always puzzled Judge Field, in whose office the president learnt his law. The judge is an intimate friend and describes how he discovered by chance that young Calvin had won the gold medal essay on the American Revolution and had told no one, either at the office or at home. "Now, I say," was the judge's comment, "that a man who doesn't know how to advertise better than that is thoroughly lacking in what, from a practical political view, is the essential qualification in the science of self-exploitation. He has never had a nickname in his life," said the judge. "People who know him call him 'Cal,' but that is as far as any of them will go. He is not what you would call a mixer. He is the quietest man I ever knew."

Phrase-Maker

The new president has an amazing faculty for phrase-making. His speeches are almost always very brief, concise, and packed with epigram. When elected President of the Senate, he delivered a forty-word speech on taking up his duties. "Honorable Senators—My sincerest thanks I offer you. Conserve the firm foundations of our institutions. Do your work with the spirit of a soldier in the public service. Be loyal to the commonwealth and to yourselves. And be brief, above all things, be brief." On his induction as presiding officer of the Senate in 1914, he made a longer speech, but a more notable one. "Do the day's work. If it be to protect the rights of the weak, whoever objects, do it. If it be to help a powerful corporation better to serve the people, whatever the opposition, do that. Expect to be called a standpatter, but don't be a stand-patter. Expect to be called a demagogue, but don't be a demagogue. Don't hesitate to be as reactionary as the multiplication table. Don't expect to build up the weak by pulling down the strong. Don't hurry to legislate. Give administration a chance to catch up with legislation." This is political wisdom our own legislators would be well to acquire.

DANGER OF FADS

Like many other things that are not fully understood, psycho-analysis has attracted large numbers of ignorant people and is in danger of degenerating into a fashionable fad. It is possible that in the hands of skilled specialists it may be of great service in certain pathological states, but unfortunately many people have dabbled in it who know very little about it. In such hands it is only too liable to encourage egotism and sap character. Psycho-analysis, the real object of which is to cure hysteria, has often caused hysteria. This science is no more a cure-all than is anything else. Within proper bounds it may prove a servant to humanity, but outside of these bounds it is assuredly an enemy.—Daily Mail.

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Most of us are aware that thunderstorms are necessary evils, due to purely natural causes. Yet, even nowadays, many people have an instinctive terror of thunder; a terror apparently, quite unconnected with the destructive character of the elemental forces, and with the possibility of being "struck."

In days when little or nothing was known of the causes of the disturbance, this unreasoning fear was, naturally, much more general, and gave rise to many curious and gruesome fancies, traces of which still linger among us.

Those representations, by the old Greeks and Romans, of Jupiter, seated on his throne in heaven, with a supply of arrow-like thunderbolts in his hand, ready for launching towards earth, have had an extraordinary influence on popular thought, through many centuries of human progress.

Shakespeare, we remember, makes Othello, in his anguish at discovering Iago's treachery, express astonishment that a thunderbolt does not strike the villain down.

A sixteenth century English writer gives a quaint list of the different omens of future events that may be drawn from thunder, according to the different days of the week on which it is heard.

Thunder on Sunday, for instance, was supposed to fortell the deaths of great men; on Monday, the deaths of women; on Tuesday and Thursday, an abundant harvest; and on Wednesday, Friday and Saturday respectively, bloodshed, war, and pestilence.

The assassination of Julius Caesar is said to have been preceded by thunderstorms of extraordinary fury; and the biographers of Oliver Cromwell have carefully recorded that his great and stormy spirit took its flight from the body in the midst of a violent tempest.

To come to later times — the terrible thunderstorms which occurred in the years 1910 and 1914, respectively, were, without doubt, associated in the minds of many people with the death of a popular monarch and the outbreak of a disastrous war.

There are some cases in which instinct will prove easily stronger than reason.—London Express.

Not So Dense

"I think that children are not as observing as they should be," said the inspector to the teacher.

"I hadn't noticed it," replied the teacher.

"Well, I'll prove it to you," and turning to the class the inspector said:

"Someone give me a number."

"Thirty-seven," said a little boy eagerly.

The inspector wrote 73 on the board, and nothing was said.

"Will someone else give me a number?"

"Fifty-two," said another lad.

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Canadian Exhibition Interests France

PARIS, Aug. 14.—The Canadian exhibition train which is traveling through France showing Canadian products, natural and manufactured, has arrived at Dijon. The business men of Dijon are displaying considerable interest in the business, but they point out that the exchange seriously militates against the close economic relations between France and Canada which they would desire to see established.

ROUGH ON LLOYD GEARGE

As the session nears its close Mr. Lloyd George appears to be putting on speed to finish off what remains of his reputation before the fall of the curtain. Early in the year he was advised to travel abroad for twelve months and delay his reappearance at Westminster till 1924, by which time, so it was predicted, Mr. Churchill also would be back and the other architects of the Centre party would be all at work once more in clearing the ground for action. Though supported by so flimsy a prophecy the advice was probably good—it would at least have saved the ex-wizard from the repetition of such a fiasco as his intervention in the Indian loans debate or his doubly damaging failure on the Snowden motion. To say that one more such false step might mean the end of the Lloyd George legend would be misleading. On that myth this House shed its last illusion about the time of the last land debate.

On his part, Mr. Lloyd George, if he would get back even to the relatively modest height of his pre-war prestige, has also some illusions to shed — for example, the pathetic belief that he can still make a star occasion of any debate by merely condescending to figure in it. A wise mentor, too, would persuade him to cut the Chamberlain connection, if only out of considerated for his infatuated ally, and the more fitful Birkenhead liaison, if only from an instinct of self-preservation. In combination, as the dismal results show, the triumvirats form a political suicide club.—From The New Statesman.

The Man Without a Heart

—By RUBY AYRES—

After seventeen years abroad, Rufus Asher is learning something of post-war England at the house-party of his sister, Linda Hyde. The pleasure-loving, artificial crowd disgusts him. Of all the party only one arouses any feeling of respect in him and that is Barbara Weir, with whom he is in love. Then one evening he discovers by accident that Barbara is planning to elope with Linda's husband, Edmund Hyde. He is furious, and aware to himself that he will prevent her from ruining Linda's happiness. In the morning Barbara is going up to town, and Rufus escorts her. When they get there he offers to drive her to her hotel in his car. She consents, and it is not till they have gone some distance that she realizes he is kidnapping her. In vain she pleads; he is adamant in his resolve to keep her prisoner till she promises to hold no communication with Edmund Hyde. He takes her to an old uninhabited college, which belongs to a friend of his. After they have been there some time they are discovered by no other person than Edmund Hyde himself, who breaks the news that Linda is unfaithful and has run away. Barbara goes back to London and soon Asher follows her, for he thinks that perhaps after all, she and Hyde have made up the story of Linda's infidelity so that Barbara can escape. He sees Barbara and is in the middle of a terrible quarrel with her when the door opens and in walks Linda Hyde. Linda says Langley has left her and Edmund won't take her back. Rufus will have nothing to do with her, but Barbara tries to console her, with the parting words: "My only excuse is—I loved you!" Barbara falls asleep. When she awakes she finds that Linda has gone, leaving a heartbroken note. She rushes to Edmund Hyde's hotel. But two days later Linda's body is found. Asher hears from a friend later that Edmund has gone abroad. The friend wonders if Edmund and Barbara will— "Well—no offense meant, you know," he says.

XLII—On the Oravia

Barbara and Edmund! So others had thought of the possibility besides himself. And no doubt, now that Linda had gone, that is what would some day happen. He tramped the streets for hours, unconscious of weariness or the cold wind that blew, unconscious of everything but his own bitter jealousy.

She might have loved him if he had not been such a mad fool! That knowledge made his punishment harder to bear than anything else could have done. She might have loved him!

Well, she did not love him now, that was very certain, and his soul writhed as he thought how she had avoided him, how she had shrunk from him.

After tomorrow all chance of ever seeing her again would have gone! After tomorrow the field would be clear for Edmund, or any other man.

Then suddenly he made up his mind; he would see her once before he left England; he would see her once more, or die.

As far as he knew, she was still at the same hotel, and with desperation he turned his steps in its direction.

The wind had dropped a little, and rain was falling; it reminded him of the dark nights down at the cottage, and the ceaselessly falling rain.

Those days had been hell to him, when they might have been heaven; and he had made that hell himself.

He walked into the hotel and stood for a moment, blinded by the glare of the many lights; then he turned toward the stairs and began to make his way up to Barbara's rooms.

He had no real hope that she would still be there, but he knew that whatever happened he meant to find her and see her once more before he left England.

And then as he stood outside her closed door, afraid to knock, it opened and she came out.

And they stood for a long moment looking at one another speechlessly, and it seemed to Barbara that in the silence she could hear the beating of her own heart before Asher found his voice.

"Don't look so frightened—I've only come to say good-bye. I'm leaving England tomorrow—I shall never come back again."

She tried to answer, but her voice seemed to have died away, and after a moment she pushed the door wide open again behind her and they went into the sitting-room together.

Her trunks stood about the room half-packed; one of them—the one he had unstrapped for her that first night down at the cottage—was all ready corded and locked.

Asher looked at them and back to her white face.

"You are going away?"

"Yes—tomorrow."

And then the tragic silence fell once more and was unbroken till Asher began to plead, his voice all ragged with emotion and stress of grief.

"Forgive me before I go—I'd give my life gladly if it would undo the past. I've been an unspeakable cad to you, and yet—for God's sake say you forgive me."

Barbara turned her face away, and for a moment she closed her eyes, then she said:

"I told Linda I could never forgive you—I told Linda—" She failed for a moment, then struggled on once more: "I did not understand why I could not—but I know now—it was because I loved you—and it hurt—the way you treated me! It hurt so unspeakably."

Asher gave a stifled groan.

"Barbara—oh, for God's sake," he broke out wildly.

She turned round and looked at him.

"You are going back to Australia tomorrow—on the Oravia," she said.

"Yes."

She put out her hand and closed it around his clenched fingers.

"I am coming with you."

He stared at her like a blind man to whom sight had suddenly been restored; then he gave a choking cry, and stumbled toward her.

"Barbara! Barbara! Barbara!"

"Ruffo—dear Ruffo—"

She was sobbing unrestrainedly, the tears streaming down her face, as Asher took her in his arms, holding her as if he feared even now that someone would take her from him.

"Forgive me—forgive me—I shall never forgive myself."

"I love you—"

"Say it again! Let me see your eyes when you say it."

She flung back her head and looked at him steadily. "I love you. I think I've always loved you." It seemed as if he could not believe her even then; he was shaking from head to foot.

"Is it true?—I'm not dreaming?—Barbara—may I kiss you."

"Please, please kiss me."

And then it was long before either of them spoke again, till Barbara laid her head against his breast with a deep sigh of contentment.

"Ruffo! I can hear it beating—you've got a heart after all then."

He shook his head and laughed shakily.

"No—I gave it to you the first time we met."

She looked up, flushing adorably.

"Really?.Did you love me then?"

"I adored you."

"But you believed I—"

He laid his hand over her lips.

"Don't say it—I can't bear to her you say it. I'm so ashamed—to the depth of my soul. Will you ever really forgive me? I don't deserve it—I deserve nothing from you."

She was silent for a moment, then she said slowly, with quivering lips:

"Ruffo, you said once that women were queer things! Well—do you know that I only knew I loved you—when you were such a brute to me—in this very room—that last night."

He turned his face against her shoulder as if he could not bear her eyes to read its shame and humility, and the tears that fell were not only hers.

(The End)

BISHOP OF LONDON'S PROTEST

The Bishop of London, preaching at St. Mary's, Primrose Hill, said that the Church of England had never been more full of life that it was today. They ought to give it their fullest loyalty, because it was a true branch of the Catholic Church.

In three important points they believed that they were right and Rome wrong: (1) In discarding the unscriptural and unhistorical claim of the Bishop of Rome to be sovereign of the church, though a primacy of respect might be paid to the occupant of this ancient see; (2) in refusing to speak of the Blessed Virgin by such titles as "the Patron of the dying," though they might not object to the use of the Gospel salutation; (3) in refusing to withdraw the cup from the laity. There was a small band, they were told, called the Band of Hope, who were trying to teach people to receive in one kind only. The bishop appealed for support in his determination to nip this practice in the bud.

Records show that ten years ago not a single pound of ice was manufactured in the city of Chicago. In 1921, Chicago produced by electric machinery 726,000 tons of ice; and electricity, again, was the power that did the grinding in the manufacture of 8,000,000 gallons of ice cream.

ORANGE DELEGATES VICTORIA VISITORS

WILL ADVISE YOUNG ENGLISHMEN TO COME TO CANADA

Rev. Dr. Fisher Predicts More Strife in Ireland, This Time Between Factions of the Green

"United we stand, divided we fall." Such is the principle of the Loyal Orange Lodge, and such was the essence of an address given last night in the Orange Hall, Courtney Street, by Right Worshipful Rev. Doctor William Fisher, of Birmingham, England, provincial grand master of Midlands province, grand arch chaplain of the Orange Lodge of England, and Imperial deputy grand chaplain of the Imperial grand council. Doctor Fisher, with Most Worshipful David Catt, provincial grand master of the Metropolitan province, England, senior deputy grand master of England, and Hon. Imperial grand vice-president of the Imperial grand council, are visitors in Victoria on a transcanada tour of Orange lodges following the sessions of the Triennial Council of the Loyal Orange Association of the World, held recently at Winnipeg.

Rev. Doctor Fisher pleaded for the elimination of all which might cause friction or division in the Orange lodges of Canada, and he issued a warning against what he termed the silent, careful workings of a great force outside, which throughout the country was striving to achieve domination.

Speaking about the early history of the Orange organization, he stated that the lodge was established in 1695 by act of Parliament immediately following the attempt to assassinate King William the Third. It was in being before that date, he pointed out, but not under the authority of act of Parliament. "The Orange Lodge is the vehicle by which the Word of God has been preserved in the British Empire," he added.

He included a strong appeal to the women members in his address. Theirs was the duty to grip the helm and to make progress when the men failed. "But you must do it in the woman's way," he said, "because you will never succeed in being gentlemen."

Doctor Fisher also advocated the formation of juvenile lodges, both for boys and for girls, and urged immediate action in this regard. "Don't say you are going to do it," he said. "No man's reputation is built on what he is going to do, but upon what he has accomplished."

Grand Old Man of Lodge

Most Worshipful Grand Master David Catt, who is called in England "the grand old man of the Orange Lodge," spoke his way into the hearts of his audience a few minutes after his introduction by the chairman by his clear simplicity and vision. He opened his talk, for it was more in the nature of an encouraging talk of a friend than an address, by conveying fraternal greetings from the brothers and sisters of the Orange lodges of England, and from Lodge 1688, Friends of Ulster.

"What do you think of Canada? has been a question I have been asked a number of times since arriving in your country," he said. "I will try to tell you now.

"It strikes me particularly because of its enormity and because of its tremendous resources and possibilities. What you need here is men and money, and when I say men I mean men who weigh sixteen ounces to the pound and who are willing and eager to take off their coats and work. I have been taking many photographs of your country, and I have been gathering much information. I have given many lectures in England with the aid of lantern slides, and when I return I intend to give some more about Canada.

"My advice to the young men in England who haven't a job, and who have little prospects ahead of them, will be to go to Canada, and when they arrive to serve somebody for perhaps a year until they learn the ways of the country, and then to strike out for themselves. I will tell them they must be prepared to work and learn, and that in a few years' time, if they persevere, they will earn for themselves a home fit to keep a wife in and to bring up a family in, and become men of Canada."

England contained millions of men who were needed in this country, continued the speaker. The best of them, however, were needed on the farms there. The same difficulty of young men leaving the land for the cities was being met with there as in Canada, he said. Millions of men had crowded into the cities, and many of them were workless. He estimated that he could find two million men of the kind Canada needed so badly in London alone. They would be for the most part experienced agriculturists, too, he added, because London was made great not so much because of native Londoners but because of the perpetual influx of people from the surrounding country. Ninety-eight out of every hundred London policemen (and there were twenty thousand of them) came from the farm, he said.

Speaking about lodge matters, Mr. Catt spoke of the great reception tendered Doctor Fisher and himself wherever they had traveled from the Atlantic to the Pacific. The next triannual council would be held in London either in 1926 or 1927, and he urged all who were able to attend.

"The Orangemen of Winnipeg think they have beaten all records as hosts, and I think they have, too," he said. "But if I have my way we'll give them a twister at the next council. Come over, and we will give you a welcome such as a mother gives her own."

Mr. Catt added his advice to that of Rev. Doctor Fisher in respect to the formation of juvenile lodges, and urged their encouragement and development without delay. In closing he pleaded for union and co-operation. "A house divided against itself cannot stand," he concluded.

The Speaker's Record

So that the audience would become better acquainted with "the Grand Old Man of the English Lodges," Doctor Fisher stated some of his qualifications.

"He is the organizer and father of the Bible Study League which has spread all over the world," he said. "He himself sent over a million Bibles to the men in the trenches during the war. He is a Freeman of the City of London, and one of God's great noblemen."

Asked by a member of the audience regarding the sending of a British envoy to the court of the Pope in Rome, Mr. Catt deplored the action, and said that if the people of England had an opportunity to vote on the question the envoy would be recalled tomorrow. His establishment there had never been sanctioned by act of parliament, he asserted, and was therefore illegal.

"The envoy was sent to Rome during the war as a war measure," the speaker explained. "It was done when Mr. Lloyd George was Premier, and the responsibility is his. But rest assured there will not be a British envoy at Rome for long."

In respect to the recent visit of the King and Queen to Rome, Mr. Catt stated that the visit was not an official one and Their Majesties did not meet the Pope as representatives of the British Empire.

Rev. Doctor Fisher, at the conclusion of the meeting, explained briefly the situation in Ireland. "Ireland is not the same old Ireland," he said. "It consists now of six counties in the North. The trouble is not yet over there."

A hearty vote of thanks, moved by Right Worshipful Edwin John and seconded by Worshipful Brother Hoey, supported by Rev. Mr. Robson, was enthusiastically passed and tendered the guests of the lodge. Junior Deputy Grand Master of British Columbia, Mr. Frank V. Hobbs, was chairman.

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W.C.T.U. Picnic—The West End W.C.T.U. will hold a basket picnic at the Japanese Tea Gardens, Gorge Park, on Thursday afternoon, August 16, at 3 o'clock. Members and friends are invited to be present.

Highland Society Meeting — The regular monthly meeting of the Highland Society of Victoria will be held this evening at the Orange Hall, Courtney Street, at 8 o'clock. A full attendance of members is requested.

Sale of Work—On Friday evening the members of the Ladies' Guild of the Holy Trinity Church, Sooke, will hold a sale of work in aid of funds to carry on their work. There will be a stall of needlework, both fancy and plain. There will also be guessing competitions and other stalls. Refreshments will be served and ice cream sold during the evening.

Art Exhibit—A special committee meeting of the Island Arts and Crafts Society will be held in the Union Bank Building on Thursday evening at 8:15, to make arrangements for the forthcoming exhibition of paintings from the National Gallery of Canada, Ottawa. Members of the society who can spare the time to assist in the work and preparation of the building are asked to communicate with the secretary.

Queen Alexandra Review Shower—There is to be a shower after the meeting of Queen Alexander Review, W.B.A., tomorrow evening at the K. of P. Hall. The shower is for the cot at the Jubilee Hospital, and sheets and quilts should be two yards six inches, and pillow-slips 34 inches. Being social night, the meeting will be at 7 o'clock. A good attendance is requested, as the matter of a change of hall and meeting night is to be brought forward.

"THER SHALL BE NO NIGHT"

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Night! Where the wind whirls and gushes,
Over the lake's tender crooon;
Night! In the murmuring rushes
Under a young slender moon.

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Friend of the days that are gone;
Miss you not now hush of gloaming?
Miss you not gladness of dawn?

Miss you not rest that comes after?
Striving the old pace to keep?
Miss you not rest that comes after?
And the sweet silence of sleep?

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Mushrooms Play Most Interesting Game of the Day, Payne Bringing Victory to His Side by Some Tricky Bowling—Up-Islanders Beat Victoria—Incogs Defeat Albions

THE Mushrooms, the Up-Islanders and the Incogs, were yesterday's winners in the Pacific Coast cricket tournament matches. The Mushrooms made the highest score of the day, defeating the Olbs by 229 to 197, the Up-Islanders made just fourteen more than Victoria, winning by 114 to 100, and the Incogs disposed of the Albions by 143 to 109.

Good Batting

In the match between the Mushrooms and the Olbs at the University School ground, the Olbs, having won the toss, put the "overnight entries" in to bat, which they did in fine style, all their stars getting well into double figures, with the result that they again made a score of over two hundred, which they reached soon after the luncheon interval.

The Olbs than set them pretty heavy going until the tea interval, which found their score at a hundred and sixty odd, with only two wickets down, which made it look as though they had the game well tucked away. On resuming, however, the Mushrooms surprised the spectators with a little "catchup." Captain Payne launched a different style of attack. Going on to bowl, and placing most of his fielders on the leg side, he succeeded in breaking up the Olbs' stand, with the result that they were all out in less than an hour.

Fielding Helped

The fielding of Mr. Payne's team had a lot to do with earning them a well-deserved victory in this match, while the fielding of the Olbs was very slack. The bowling honors on the Olbs' side go to N. C. Vidal, who was captain of the Saskatchewan team which played at Vancouver last week, while for his own side P. C. Payne did splendid work, with six wickets for 34. The full score follows:

Mushrooms

A. Booth, b Vidal	20
P. C. Payne, c Blart, b Small	16
Eric Quainton, c Curle, b Blart	34
Edan Quainton, lbw, b Paera	26
E. Butterworth, c Curle, b Vidal	23
R. Davis, c Curle, b Vidal	28
C. Pillar, c M. Martin, b Paera	18
J. Donaldson, c Curle, b Vidal	1
Vaughan, b Vidal	5
Davenport, st Curle, b Paera	3
Milton, not out	1
Extras	17
Total	239

Olbs

G. P. Bainbridge, b Davis	14
Capt. J. Curle, b Payne	65
T. A. Small, thrown out Payne, b Davis	3
F. J. Paera, c Pillar, b Payne	73
R. L. Cadle, b Payne	9
R. C. Barwell, b Davis	1
E. F. Blart, c Eden Quainton, b Payne	8
N. C. Vidal, not out	9
C. Morrison, lbw, b Payne	0
N. Martin, lbw, b Davis	0
M. Martin, c Booth, b Payne	1
Extras	16
Total	197

Bowling Analysis

Mushrooms' Innings—	O.	W.	R.
E. F. Blart	7	1	42
N. C. Vidal	16	5	65
T. A. Small	4	1	40
F. J. Paera	8	2	43
R. L. Cadle	3	0	12
G. P. Bainbridge	2	0	10
Olbs' Innings—	O.	W.	R.
R. Davis	15	4	68
Edan Quainton	8	0	61
P. C. Payne	7	6	34
Eric Quainton	4	0	36
J. Donaldson	1	0	2

An Exciting Match

In the match between Victoria and the Up-Island club at the Jubilee ground there was considerable excitement. Owing to the fact that there was not time to finish the second innings, it was decided on the first, the Up-Islanders winning with a lead of only 14.

Leighton, of the Up-Island team, was in brilliant form. He bowled well for ten overs and succeeded in taking 9 wickets for 37 runs—a notable achievement. Of the Victoria bowlers, the most prominent were Verrall and Coley, who each took 7 wickets for 36 runs, and Jukes, who in the second innings took 2 wickets for 3 runs, and, during the whole game, bowled seven maiden overs. The fielding of Victoria was, on the whole, good, especially that of Capt. Noble. In the course of the day there were two catches of note, one by Newberry, who was bowling, and the other, a single-handed one, by Grant.

Light Scoring

No large scores were made with the bat. Newberry hit up a good 35 in the first innings, and Verrall, of Victoria, made the next biggest score of 29.

The Up-Islanders, who were first to bat, were taking no chances. Green and Paul—who opened the innings—began well, and in the first over made eight runs. After this, however, they became more careful, and when Green was given out l.b.w. the score stood at only 15. Scurr, the next man in, livened things up and four times hit the ball for four before he also, after making 21, succumbed to Verrall. The runs still came slowly. Paul, after making nine, was bowled by a good length ball from Grant. Pike, Leighton and Unsworth were dismissed at the cheap price of 14 runs, and Curtis-Haywood was bowled after adding nine to the score.

Unusual Incident

Nevertheless, the luck was not entirely with the home club. Verrall sent down a moderately fast ball to Burns. It struck the leg stump and, glancing off, almost reached the boundary. It failed to remove the balls, however, and consequently the Up-Islanders secured a run. At 12:30, when the teams adjourned for lunch, the score was 85 runs for seven wickets.

Play was resumed at 2:30. In spite of a plucky effort by Burns and Newberry, the whole team was dismissed for 114. Victoria, with only 114 to make, started with high hopes. Their failure was due largely to the good bowling and fielding with which they were faced. Conley was bowled by Leighton before any score was made. Martin played a good, steady game, but when 5 wickets fell for 37 things began to look bad. Verrall and Coley knocked up a very useful 47, but Leighton's bowling was too much for Victoria, who were all dismissed for the even hundred. The full score follows:

Up-Island—First Innings

A. E. Green, lbw, b Verrall	10
A. T. Paul, b Grant	9
M. Scurr, b Verrall	21
S. Pike, c Gillespie, b Verrall	4
A. Leighton, b Verrall	9
W. Newberry, not out	35
W. Unsworth, b Jukes	1
C. M. Curtis-Haywood, b Jukes	9
W. Burns, b Verrall	3
B. Hope, hit wicket, b Verrall	0
D. Wilton, b Verrall	0
Extras	13
Total	114

Second Innings

A. E. Green, b Grant	0
A. T. Paul, st Martin, b Coley	2
M. Scurr, c Martin, b Coley	0
S. Pike, lbw, b Coley	29
A. Leighton, not out	10
W. Newberry, b Coley	12
W. Unsworth, b Coley	0
C. M. Curtis-Haywood, b Jukes	3
W. Burns, st Martin, b Coley	7
B. Hope, c Grant, b Coley	2
D. Wilton, lbw, b Jukes	1
Extra	1
Total	66

Victoria

A. Martin, b Leighton	10
E. Conley, b Leighton	0
Capt. F. B. Noble, st Unsworth, b Leighton	7
G. C. Grant, c and b Newberry	6
D. Gillespie, b Leighton	1
E. Verrall, hit wicket, b Leighton	29
H. Jukes, b Leighton	0
Capt. Coley, b Leighton	29
C. Dodd, b Leighton	6
L. B. Kent, b Leighton	6
A. Smith, not out	0
Extras	15
Total	100

Bowling Analysis

Up-Island's 1st Innings—	O.	W.	R.
G. C. Grant	8	1	41
Verrall	15⅔	7	34
Jukes	7	2	35
Up-Island's 2nd Innings—	O.	W.	R.
G. C. Grant	8	1	20
Jukes	7⅔	2	3
Capt. Coley	15	7	36
Victoria's Innings—	O.	W.	R.
Leighton	10	9	37
Curtis-Haywood	3	0	11
Newberry	3	1	21
Pike	4	0	12

Incogs Successful

At the Cranmore Road ground the University Incogs were the victors, defeating the Albions by 34 runs.

G. Wenman bowled well, taking 3 wickets for 12 runs. He bowled for six overs and kept a good length throughout. Goodday also was in form, taking 2 wickets for no runs.

Pite, of the Albions, batted consistently for his 19, the top score of the side.

The Albions winning the toss, decided to bat. Before they lost their first wicket they had made 23 runs. The Incogs, as regards fielding, were not up to their usual form, Barclay being missed three times. Welch, who added ten to the score, was batting freely when he was caught at square-leg by Sparks. When, at 12:30, the last of the Albions had been dismissed, the score stood at 109.

Sparks Bats Well

The Incogs started badly by losing Goodday with the score at 14. When Sparks and J. Wenman got together, however, the outlook brightened considerably. This pair took the score to three more than their opponents before Wenman was stumped for 24. Pate knocked up a lively 13. The biggest score of the game, 54, not out, was made by Sparks, who played good cricket throughout. Owing to lack of time, the second innings was not completed. Therefore, although at the end the scores were equal, the Incogs won on the first innings. The score:

Albion—First Innings

D. B. Hudson, b Tracy	13
N. F. Pite, c Sparks, b Dormer	19
H. Lethaby, c and b G. Wenman	11
E. D. Freeman, c J. Wenman, b G. Wenman	1
H. A. Iamay, b G. Wenman	10
E. H. Pendray, st C. K. Allen, b Tracy	1
G. H. Walton, run out	16
S. W. Barclay, c C. K. Allen, b Goodday	3
F. N. Welch, c Sparks, b Tracy	10
A. H. Geiger, not out	4
Edgelowe, c Dormer, b Goodday	0
Extras	19
Total	109

Second Innings

D. B. Hudson, c Dormer, b Tracy	0
N. F. Pite, lbw, b Tracy	5
H. Lethaby, b Dormer	2
E. D. Freeman, c Lifton, b Tracy	4
H. A. Iamay, b Tracy	1
E. H. Pendray, c C. K. Allen, b Tracy	2
G. H. Walton, b Tracy	11
S. W. Barclay, c Sparks, b G. Wanman	6
F. N. Welch, st C. K. Allen, b Tracy	16
A. H. Geiger, b Sparks	9
Edgelowe, not out	21
Extras	7
Total	89

Incogs—First Innings

G. H. Kinch, run out	7
Col. Goodday, b Freeman	3
G. Lifton, lbw, b Pendray	21
F. A. Sparks, not out	54
J. Wanman, st Pite, b Welch	24
K. M. Pate, b Freeman	13
G. Wenman, b Welch	0
E. J. Dormer, b Freeman	0
C. K. Allen, b Welch	2
R. M. Knight, b Welch	0
A. G. Tracy, b Freeman	2
Extras	11
Total	143

Second Innings

G. H. Kinch, not out	24
F. A. Sparks, not out	28
R. M. Knight, c Pendray, b Welch	1
Extras	7
Total for 1 wicket	52

Col. Goodday, G. Lifton, J. Wanman, K. M. Pate, G. Wanman, E. J. Dormer, C. K. Allen and A. G. Tracy did not bat.

Bowling Analysis

Albions' 1st Innings—	O.	W.	R.
Sparks	6	0	34
Tracy	11	3	40
G. Wanman	6	3	12
Dormer	5	1	13
Col. Goodday	1½	2	0
Albions' 2nd Innings—	O.	W.	R.
Sparks	2	1	7
Tracy	7	7	50
G. Wanman	3	1	13
Dormer	4	1	12
J. Wanman	3	0	7
Incogs' 1st Innings—	O.	W.	R.
Welch	14	4	27
Freeman	11½	4	44
Pendray	4	1	18
Iamay	4	0	35
Incogs' 2nd Innings—	O.	W.	R.
Welch	6	1	14
Pendray	4	0	19
Pite	1	0	13
Walton	1	0	9

Mushrooms Wanted

P. C. Payne wants an extra man or two today to fill in his team of Mushrooms. Any cricketer wanting a game with this crack team should telephone 511 before 10 a.m. today.

WEINSTEIN WINNER IN TACOMA FINALS

TACOMA, Aug. 13.—Championships in all events of the Pacific Northwest Tennis Association were decided at the courts of the Tacoma Lawn Tennis Club on Saturday afternoon.

Irving Weinstein, San Francisco, won the men's sigles title when he defeated Wallace Scott, Tacoma, 9-7, 4-6, 6-2, 6-4, in the finals. Weinstein's all around court mastership marked by his steadiness and reserve power decided the match in his favor over the terrific serving and smashes of the Tacoman.

Miss Rita Myer, Seattle, won the women's singles title by vanquishing Miss Alberta Edtl, Tacoma, 6-4, 6-3.

Weinstein and Scott came through as expected in the men's doubles finals, defeating Richard Vanderlea and Robert Hesketh, of Seattle, 7-9, 6-4, 6-3, 9-7.

Miss Edtl and Mrs. G. Robinson, of Salt Lake, won the women's doubles championship, defeating Miss Hortense Green, of Seattle, and Miss Helen Wilson, Tacoma, 6-3, 6-1.

Mrs. R. E. Bridgdon, of Seattle, and Wallace Scott, Tacoma, annexed the mixed doubles title by defeating Miss Hortense Green, Seattle, and Irving Weinstein, San Francisco, 6-4, 7-5.

CHERRY PIE WINS SARANAC HANDICAP

SARATOGA SPRINGS, N.Y., Aug. 14.—Cherry Pie and Untidy, carrying the Green Tree stable colors, finished first and second, respectively, today in the Saranac Handicap, a mile race for three-year-olds. The Clown was third. Cherry Pie stepped the mile in 1:38.

LACROSSE MATCH HAS SUDDEN STOP

ACCIDENT HALTS PLAY IN CONTEST AT CANTEEN

Vincent Hicks Has Collarbone Broken in Second Quarter When Services Are Leading Six to One

Last night's lacrosse match at the Canteen Grounds only lasted twenty-one minutes of the scheduled time, when the game was called on account of an accident to Y. Hicks, of the Esquimalt team, who broke his collar bone. The accident was the result of a rush in front of the Services' goal, when Hicks was intent on boring in to score, but the opposing defence was in the way, and before anyone realized what had happened, this player was lying on the grass with a broken collar bone. At this point the score stood 6-1 in favor of the Services.

From the start the winners showed superiority in every stage of the game, and they tallied twice in the first minute of play, Redgrave and Russell bulging the net.

Before the first quarter was drawn to a close by the umpire's whistle the score stood 4-0 in favor of the eventual winners. In the second stanza it took the Services just two minutes to find the net again, when Coulter, the scoring ace of the league, bulged the net for his second goal of the game. Two minutes later Doutaz brought the Services' total to six, when he slipped an easy goal past the opposing net custodian. To Passmore, of the Esquimalt team, goes the honor of scoring their only goal, just one minute before the game was called. Taking a pass from centre field, this young player made a solo rush and shot the ball past Gravlin, the opposing net custodian, for Esquimalt's lone goal.

In last night's fixture each team played with only ten men, the Services having some of their players on the sick list, while Esquimalt could only get ten men together. With ten men in place of twelve, the game was much more open, and the usual scramble in front of the goal was not in evidence so much as in previous games. By this victory the Services are now holding down top berth, being just two points in front of Sidney, their closest rivals, but this league supremacy may be short lived, as the present leaders will meet Sidney on the latter's home ground on Thursday, and this game may be the means of again tieing up the league. Last night's game was refereed by Jimmie Fairall. The line-up follows:

United Services — Gravlin, Redgrave, Wingert, Weir, Kirk, Russell, Moore, Coulter, Hussleton and Doutaz.

Esquimalt — Rickenson, Popham, Passmore, Huxtable, Broadbent, Nute, Ross, D. Hicks, M. Hicks and V. Hicks.

International Athletic Meet Seems Assured

NEW YORK, Aug. 14.—John T. McGovern, Councillor of the American Olympic committee and a member of the advisory board of the Inter-Collegiate section of the Amateur Athletic Association of America, has returned from Europe with the announcement that negotiations for an international meeting between Great Britain and the United States to be held immediately after the Olympic games were well under way. The meet will be held at Wembley Stadium, London.

Invitations have been extended to the Amateur Athletic Union of the United States, and the Inter-Collegiate A.A.A. to participate.

American Yachts Win Fifth Heat of Races

RYDE, Isle of Wight, Aug. 14.—Sailing in light air, the American six-metre yachts, with this year's contest for the British-American Cup lost to them because of the great number of points England scored in the early heats, won the fifth heat in the series today, scoring 26 points to England's nine. This makes the aggregate points 105 for England and 74 for America.

The fifth heat was sailed here today under the auspices of the Royal Victoria Yacht Club, whose commander, Sir William Burton, offered a trophy for the winner.

C.P.R. Balltossers Meet Nanaimo at Stadium Saturday

Local Champions Will Be in Fine Fettle for Crucial Contest With Up-Island Experts—Another Good Pitchers' Battle Expected to Result From Week-End Game Here

THE second game of the Island series of the Provincial baseball championship will be played at the local Stadium, Saturday afternoon, when the C. P. R. club, of this city, will meet the Nanaimo club. Manager Roy Copas is having his club out for regular practices and reports all players in the best of shape and fully recovered from their strenuous trip up the Island last Saturday.

A Fine Battle

The first game played at Nanaimo was one of the finest battles ever witnessed in this part of the country and Victoria has every reason to be proud of the club that is representing this city in the big series. While unfortunate in losing the initial encounter in the Coal City, no disgrace is attached to C.P.R. defeat, the game being decided by the breaks and the Nanaimo club was fortunate enough to secure them. It was a tough game for Norm Forbes to lose after holding the Coal City sluggers hitless for eight innings, while on the other hand, in fairness to the Nanaimo club, it would have been equally as tough for Kaye to lose after heaving practically perfect ball during the battle. Both pitchers gave a wonderful display of hurling and there is every possibility that these two stars will hook up again Saturday afternoon to decide the second game of the series.

No decision has as yet been reached regarding the location of the third game, should it be necessary, but there is a good possibility that the local Stadium will be chosen, in which case two games may be played Saturday afternoon. The time of the first game will be announced in The Colonist as soon as word has been received from the provincial association.

FAVORITES WIN AT FOREST HILLS

MRS. MALLORY FINDS UNEXPECTED OPPOSITION

English Ladies All Come Through Successfully in Early Rounds of National Singles Play

FOREST HILLS, N.Y., Aug. 14.—The favorites came through without upset today in the quest for national women's tennis honors on the turf of the Westside Tennis Club, but two of the eight stars in the singles, Mrs. Molla Mallory, the champion, and Mrs. R. C. Clayton, one of the four English entrants, were extended to gain their third round brackets.

Mrs. Mallory, beginning a campaign for her eighth national title, found unexpected opposition from Miss Lillian Scharman, of New York, in the second round and triumphed only after a sparkling duel by scores of 6-3, 6-4.

Mrs. Clayton, who holds the English covered court championship, won her first round match easily, but was forced to top speed to down Mrs. David C. Mills, veteran Orange, N.J., player, in the second round, 7-5, 6-3.

The brilliant play of Miss Helen Wills, 17-year-old Berkeley, California, school-girl, was another outstanding spot in the second day of championship play. The "wonder girl," from the coast, faced perhaps the stiffest test of the day, but triumphed convincingly over two youthful New Jersey stars, eliminating Miss Martha Bayard, of Short Hills, 6-1, 6-3, and Miss Ceres Baker, of Orange, 6-0, 6-1.

Miss Kathleen McKane, ranking British star, defeated Miss Louise Dixon, of Philadelphia, 6-1, 6-2, while Miss Geraldine Beamish easily disposed of Miss Eleanor A. Sears, veteran Boston player, 6-1, 6-0, while Mrs. R. C. Clayton eliminated Miss Caroma Vinn, of Mountain Lakes, N.J., 6-0, 6-3.

Mrs. Nancy Covell, the fourth English entrant, drew a first round bye, and was not scheduled to play until later in the day.

The first round of the singles was completed when Miss Eleanor Goss, of New York, another American internationalist, and one of the eight stars, vanquished Miss Penelope Anderson, Richmond, Va., 6-2, 6-0.

SWIMMERS' PICNIC GREATLY ENJOYED

V.A.S.C. Members Hold Annual Outing at Deep Bay—Large Number Take Part in Field Sports

On Sunday, August 12, the Victoria Amateur Swimming Club held its annual picnic at Deep Bay. The weather conditions were ideal, and the members and friends who attended, numbering about seventy-five, voted the outing an unqualified success.

The journey was made in tallyhos, a great part of the day's enjoyment being in the lovely ride.

In the afternoon, races were a great source of enjoyment, and the swimmers ably demonstrated their ability to qualify as track champions.

After supper the presentation of prizes was made by Mrs. C. W. McAllister, and about 9 o'clock the party started for home, tired, but extremely happy.

Following is the list of events and prize winners:

Girls under twelve, twenty-five yards—1, Anna Beinave; 2, Ivy Jones; 3, Lorna Doyle.

Men's, open, hundred yards—1, E. Squire; 2, J. Wood; 3, B. Beinave.

Boys under twelve—1, T. Brooke; 2, A. McAllister; 3, A. Stott.

Ladies' sack race—1, J. Stott; 2, G. Wellburn; 3, G. Sanders.

Mixed relay race—1, team of E. Squire.

Single ladies' race—1, K. Wellburn; 2, R. Robertson; 3, Iris Philbrook.

Throwing the baseball—Gentlemen: 1, E. Squire; 2, Mr. Nicholls. Ladies: 1, Isabel Crawford; 2, Dorothy Pitt.

Three-legged race—1, P. Johnston; 2, J. Wood; 3, E. Squire.

Mixed handicap race—1, J. Clyde; 2, D. Beinave; 3, T. Wellburn.

Men's sack race—1, J. Wood; 2, E. Squire; 3, P. Johnston.

Ladies' nail driving contest—1, R. Robertson.

Married ladies' race—1, Mrs. McDowell; 2, Mrs. Robertson; 3, Mrs. Pitt.

ANOTHER GOLIATH IS AMONG THE PUGILISTS

SIOUX CITY, Ia., Aug. 14.—A giant has entered the field of pugilism. He is L. H. "Big" Munn, of Sioux City. He is 6 feet, 6 inches in height, and weighs 295 pounds. Munn is a former star athlete at the University of Nebraska. He will begin a period of intensive training in a few weeks at the Mike Gibbons camp in St. Paul. He will not take part in any matches for at least three months. After that he says he will be ready for any of them.

PORTLAND ANXIOUS TO SECURE TROPHY

Multnomah Club Sending Over the Strongest Possible Team to Try for the Semi-Ready Cup

According to J. Austin, a former member of the V.I.A.A., who is now a resident of Portland, the Multnomah Club's water polo team is putting in a lot of time these days training for their Pacific Northwest championship encounter with the representative Victoria team at the V. I. A. A. international gala which is being held on Friday and Saturday.

Austin, who formerly played polo for the V.I.A.A., states in his letter to W. H. Davies that Portland is sending out their very strongest team, and they are absolutely determined to do everything possible in order to take back the Semi-Ready Cup to Portland.

Included in the team this year is another world's champion in the person of Vincent Galleger, who was a member of the Annapolis crew who won their championship at the Olympic Games at Antwerp. Galleger, according to reports, is a crack sprint swimmer and a star water polo player. The Victoria representative team is now busy training every evening at the Gorge, and it is predicted that this team will be the strongest that has ever represented the city. The captain of the local team is Jock McNeill, the famous Scottish international player.

INTERCLUB TENNIS

St. Paul's Club Wins Tournament From Burnside Players by Twelve Sets to Four

A very enjoyable tournament took place on Saturday last between St. Paul's Tennis Club, Esquimalt, and the Burnside Club on the courts of the former. Refreshments were served during the afternoon and both clubs sat down to tea about six o'clock when everybody declared it to be the very best and most interesting tournament they had taken part in this season.

Although St. Paul's won by a total of twelve sets to four, most of the games were very close and at all times interesting. The strength of the lady members of the home club was again most pronounced. The results were as follows:

Ladies' Doubles

St. Paul's—Miss H. Parkinson and Miss Stevens, 6; Miss B. Isbister and Miss Parkinson, 6; Miss S. Porter and Miss Stevens, 6.

Burnside—The Misses Bates, 3; Miss Watson and Miss Northam, 3; Miss Bates and Miss Northam, 2.

Men's Doubles

St. Paul's—Messrs. A. Jones and V. Jones, 6; Messrs. Lockley and Kensington, 1; Messrs. Best and Chapman, 4; Messrs. Hall and Lockley, 6; Messrs. A. Jones and V. Jones, 6; Messrs. L. Hall and V. Jones, 3; Messrs. Lockley and Kennington, 6.

Burnside — Messrs. Prentice and Hole, 0; Messrs. Dowds and Tupman, 6; Messrs. Cox and Dowds, 6; Messrs. Prentice and Tupmen, 5; Messrs. Tupman and Hole, 2; Messrs. Prentice and Tupman, 6; Messrs. Tupman and Hole, 3.

Mixed Doubles

St. Paul's—Miss Stevens and Mr. Hall, 6; Miss Isbister and Mr. Lockley, 1; Miss Parkinson and Mr. A. Jones, 6; Miss Porter and Mr. Chapman, 6; Miss Stevens and Mr. V. Jones, 6; Miss Porter and Mr. Kensington, 6.

Burnside—Miss Bates and Mr. Cox, 5; Miss Watson and Mr. Tupman, 6; Miss Bates and Mr. Hole, 3; Miss Northam and Mr. Dowds, 2; Miss Watson and Mr. Prentice, 5; Miss Northam and Mr. Cox, 3.

Clay Court Entries Will Close Tomorrow

Many Notable Competitors Will Be Seen on Kingston Street Courts When Championships Start This Week-End—Ground in First-Class Condition—All Ready for Tournament

THE time for filing entries in the City Clay Court Championships has been extended until Thursday, August 16. As play will commence on Saturday afternoon at two o'clock, it is necessary that all entries be in the hands of C. H. O'Halloran, the tournament secretary, by six o'clock on Thursday; the secretary may be reached at 507 Central Building, or telephone 1178. Already some one hundred and twenty-five entries have been received, but many players, who have expressed their intention of entering, have not yet filed their entries.

Notable Competitors

The men's singles include V. Westwood, of the Jericho Club, Vancouver, the present holder of the city championship; John Proctor, the runner-up for the B.C. Championship this year, who made such a splendid showing in the finals against St. L. K. Verley; D. M. Gordon, a veteran of many contests, who, many think, is this year playing the best tennis of his career; A. M. D. Fairbairn, who is returning to the game after some years' absence, and who was one of the ranking players in Victoria a few years ago; Dr. Wood, of Winnipeg, one of the leading Manitoba players, who defeated W. H. Richards, of Vancouver, the runner-up for the Canadian championship in the sectional matches at Winnipeg this year; E. V. Young, of North Vancouver, and many well-known local players.

In the men's doubles are entered, among others, Verley and Young, Gordon and Westwood, the present title holders; Proctor and Fairbairn and Quayle and Whittaker. In the mixed doubles, Miss Marjoria Leeming and Proctor, the present title holders; Miss Lawson and Westwood, Mrs. Hickes and Verley, Mrs. Tagg and Young, Mr. and Mrs. Garrett, Miss Mary Campbell and Dr. Wood. In the ladies' singles, among others, Miss D. Thomas, of Jones Island; Mrs. Hickes and Mrs. Tagg, of Cowichan; Mrs. W. R. Lane, of Nanaimo; Miss Hope Leeming. In addition, representative entries have been received from the many local clubs.

Courts in Good Order

The five courts of the club have been put in splendid condition by the Victoria groundsman, Mr. J. H. Butterworth, and a week of first-class tennis is anticipated. Play will commence at 4 o'clock each afternoon, except on Saturdays, and Wednesday at 2 o'clock.

Admission to the grounds will be charged at the rate of twenty-five cents a day, and fifty cents for the final afternoon, or one dollar for the tournament. Considering the splendid tennis that may be expected, arrangements are being made to accommodate the gallery accordingly.

Competitors are asked to note that shoes with bars, studs, heels or spikes are not permitted. This is necessary to preserve the courts in good playing condition. The draw from day to day will appear in the daily press, and in particular the draw for Saturday's play will appear in Saturday's Colonist.

Success Assured

Tea will be served on the grounds every afternoon by the ladies of the club. The Kingston Club is laboring under many handicaps in staging this tournament, but with the experience gained last year, when the event was held for the first time, and the splendid co-operation of the Victoria Lawn Tennis Club, it is felt that with favorable weather, the event bids fair to surpass the success of last year, and definitely establish another week's attraction for the Summer months.

Competitors and members are asked to note that the courts will be closed on Thursday and Friday, to enable the final preparations to be completed for Saturday.

VICTORIA GOLF CLUB

An eclectic competition for men and a similar competition for ladies has been arranged to take place at the links of the Victoria Golf Club, these competitions to be open to members of the club and also to visitors.

The competition, which will begin on August 16 and end on September 6, will consist of medal rounds. Not more than eight cards are to be turned in and one-third of the handicaps will be allowed off the final scores.

Mr. A. G. Milbank, of New York and Victoria, has kindly donated the following prizes:

Men's competition—1st prize, 9 golf balls; 2nd prize, 6 golf balls; 3rd prize, 3 golf balls.

Ladies' competition—1st prize, 9 golf balls; 2nd prize, 6 golf balls; 3rd prize, 3 golf balls.

A score card will be put up on the men's, also the ladies' bulletin boards, and competitors will enter their names on it, also their scores, and the results will be changed as lower scores are brought in. The cards will be turned in to the men's and ladies' boxes provided for that purpose. In case of a tie the golf balls will be equally divided.

Soccer Notes

By A. B. B.

The official soccer season opens today in Scotland, when a number of league matches will be played, but it will not be until Saturday that a full list of games will be carried through. The campaign extends until the last Saturday in April.

In England the ball is set a-rolling on August 25, and will continue until the first Saturday in May.

For many years there was only one division in Scottish league football. Later, an effort was made to establish a second section, with indifferent results. However, two years ago, the second division was eventually established on the promotion plan, and the venture was a success.

The Queens Park, Dumbarton and Clydebank Clubs were relegated from the first to the second division; Alloa was promoted from the second to the first, and this left twenty clubs in each section.

At the close of last season, Alloa and Albion Rovers lost their places in senior company, being the last two on the merit table. The Queens Park and Clydebank Clubs were winners and runners-up respectively in the second section and consequently regained their places among their former comrades.

This system of promotion and relegation has done much to improve the quality of football, because the idea of losing their place in the upper house has stimulated the clubs in general to maintain a good class of soccer in the league proper, and at the same time has been the means of creating an interest in the lower section that was formerly conspicuous by its absence.

New Division

This season will mark the inauguration of a third division in Scotland, thus following the example of the English league in bringing as many clubs as possible under their jurisdiction. Of course, the latest venture in Scotland is purely experimental, and it will depend on the measure of support accorded the new clubs whether or not the new division will be continued. In England the bigger population is a factor favoring the various divisions, compared with the more sparsely-populated districts in the Land of the Thistle.

Hub of Soccer

Glasgow, the second city of the Empire, has been aptly described as "the hub of soccer." Football clubs flourish in the city, and some idea of the popularity of the game in St. Mungo may be realized from the fact that six first division teams are located within its borders: Rangers, Celtic, Third Lanark, Queens Park, Partick Thistle and Clyde.

Rangers and Celtic have long been recognized as the honor-winning teams of the country. Certainly the league championship and Scottish Cup have been captured by the two clubs more frequently in recent years than by any other combines in the country. Last season, for instance, the Rangers won the league, while the Celts gained the Cup.

A Famous Club

The reappearance of Queens Park in the first division will be welcomed by their many friends. There is, perhaps, no other soccer club in the world that has enjoyed the popularity and esteem of footballers over such a lengthened period of years.

They are the only first-class combination of sportsmen connected with first-class league football. Their very name arouses a feeling of genuine sportsmanship in the minds of those who discuss and ponder over soccer football in all parts of the universe.

Edinburgh, the capital of Scotland, has two first division teams, the Hearts and Hibernians, and both will again be in the limelight this season. Auld Reekie, the city of romantic associations, historical buildings, and educational institutions, is always an attractive city for footballers.

Good Outlook

Taken all in all, the outlook is quite good for the national game in the Land of the Thistle. True, trade is not up to normal standard, but, all the same, Scotsmen generally find the wherewithal to pay their way and enjoy the sport. The average Scot is not the "stingy" individual at times portrayed by the critical observer; rather the reverse.

COMOX TENNIS

Keen Competition for Stevens Shield for Men's Singles of District—Results to Date

CUMBERLAND, Aug. 13.—The shield offered by Mr. L. R. Stevens for the best gentlemen tennis player in the Comox district has aroused keen competition. The results of the games up to date are as follows:

First Round

J. Fouracre beat R. E. Hicks, 6-4, 7-5.

A. R. Stacy beat H. J. Graham, 6-1, 6-1.

Second Round

S. T. Corfield beat P. D. Graham, 6-4, 6-1.

J. Wilcox beat J. Fouracre, 6-2, 3-6, 6-4.

C. Graham beat J. M. Kent, 6-3, 6-4.

A. R. Stacy beat C. C. Graham, 6-3, 6-4.

W. H. Cope beat H. Stewart, 8-6, 6-4.

T. Heyland beat G. K. McNaughton, 6-3, 6-0.

M. Graham beat F. J. Dalby, 6-0, 6-1.

F. Brock beat C. Graham, 6-3, 6-2.

Third Round

T. Heyland beat J. Wilcox, 6-3, 6-1.

T. Graham beat J. Brock, 6-2, 4-6, 6-1.

G. T. Corfield beat M. Graham, 6-1, 7-5.

A. R. Stacy beat W. H. Cope, 6-2, 6-2.

Semi-finals will be played this week and the finals on the August 29. A. R. Stacy and T. R. Graham will represent Cumberland, and T. Heyland and G. T. Corfield will represent Courtenay in the semi-finals.

FIRPO ON THE MOVE

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 14.—Luis Angel Firpo, contender for Jack Dempsey's heavyweight title, who last night knocked out Charlie Weinert, of Newark, N.J., in the second round, will leave tonight for Indianapolis for his fight with Joe Downey. He plans to return to New York in time to meet his new trainer, Horace Lavalle, who will arrive from Buenos Ayres on August 18.

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NEW MARKS SET IN DOMINION CHAMPIONSHIPS

Ursula Morris Wins 50 Yards—Miss Kessler Lowers Time for 220—Bourne Wins Three Times

WINNIPEG, August 13. — Two woman's records were smashed at the Canadian swimming championships held at Grand Beach on Saturday. Ursula Morris, of Winnipeg, in defeating Hazel Kessler, of Winnipeg, in the fifty-yard, set up a new mark of 32 1-5, while Miss Kessler beat her old mark of 3.33 1-5 for the 220 yards, by covering the distance in 3.05 4-5.

Clayton Bourne, of Montreal, was the sensation of the meet and won all three men's events. He took the fifty, 100 and 220 yard events. Harold Plant, of Winnipeg, gave him keen competition, but the eastern crack finished strong in every race.

The results of the Dominion championships were:

Fifty yards, men—Clayton Bourne, Montreal, won; Harold Plant, Winnipeg, second; Martin McKay, Winnipeg, third. Time, :26 4-5.

One hundred yards, men—Clayton Bourne, Montreal, won; Harold Plant, Winnipeg, second; Cyril Carpenter, Winnipeg, third. Time, :62 4-5.

Two hundred and twenty yards, men—Clayton Bourne, Montreal, won; Cyril Carpenter, Winnipeg, second; Harold Plant, third. Time, 2:46 4-5.

Fifty yards, women—Ursula Morrison, Winnipeg, won; Hazel Kessler, Winnipeg, second; Gladys Kessler, Winnipeg, third. Time :32 1-5.

Two hundred and twenty yards, women— Hazel Kessler, won; Ursula Morris, second; Gladys Kessler, third. Time, 3.05 4-5.

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TODAY'S CRICKET

Cricket matches in the Pacific Coast tournament for today are as follows:

Albions vs. Mushrooms, at Cranmore Road.

Victoria vs. Incogs, at Jubilee Hospital.

Olbs vs. Up-island, at University School.

LEAGUE BASEBALL

AMERICAN

At Detroit—	R.	H.	E.
Philadelphia	2	9	2
Detroit	7	14	3

Batteries—Naylor, Walberg and Perkins; Pillette and Bassler.

NATIONAL

At Philadelphia—	R.	H.	E.
Pittsburgh	10	16	2
Philadelphia	16	18	0

Batteries—Adams, Steiner, Stone, Morrison and Schmidt; Coucha, Weinert and Henline.

At New York—	R.	H.	E.
Brooklyn	2	8	0
New York	3	9	2

Batteries — Henley and Deberry; Scott, Bentley and Snyder.

At Boston: First—	R.	H.	E.
Chicago	6	13	1
Boston	1	7	1

Batteries—Osborne and O'Farrell; Barnes and E. Smith.

Second—	R.	H.	E.
Chicago	5	9	0
Boston	4	12	2

Batteries—Keene, Dumovich and Hartnett; Genewich and O'Neill.

COAST

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 14.—Three Seattle errors gave San Francisco as many runs, and the Seals took the opening game of the series here today by 5 to 1.

Three singles and an error apiece by Crane and Burger netted San Francisco three runs in the third inning. In the eighth two hits and Blake's doubles netted the Seals two more tallies. Shea, Seal hurler, was steady throughout. The visitors got their lone run in the fifth on a pass, a single by Crane and a double by Orr.

	R.	H.	E.
Seattle	1	6	3
San Francisco	5	7	0

Batteries—Burger and Yaryan; Shea, Blake and Agnew.

SALT LAKE, Aug. 14.—Shellenbach kept Salt Lake hits scattered today, and Vernon won 6 to 4. Four of the Tigers' tallies were due to home run hits by Hyatt and Rader, each with a runner on. The Bees put on a three-run rally in the ninth, but were retired with two runners on.

	R.	H.	E.
Vernon	6	12	1
Salt Lake	4	13	0

Batteries — Shellenback and Hannah; McCabe and Peters.

SACRAMENTO, Aug. 14.—Sacramento bunched hits off Murchio and won the opening tilt from Oakland today by a score of 5-5. Yellowhorse was punched for five hits and three runs in the fifth, and, with two on and two down, retired from action in favor of "Specs" Shea, who held the Oaks scoreless until the ninth, and was then nicked for a pair of counts.

	R.	H.	E.
Oakland	5	11	2
Sacramento	8	13	1

Batteries—Murchio and Rand; Yellowhorse, Shea and Koehler.

At Los Angeles—Portland-Los Angeles game postponed, traveling.

INTERNATIONAL

Rochester, 7; Baltimore, 2.
Buffalo, 3-2; Newark, 2-5.
Syracuse, 10; Reading, 8.
Toronto, 2; Jersey City, 0.

Club Standings

NATIONAL

	W.	L.	Pct.
New York	72	38	.655
Cincinnati	64	44	.588
Pittsburgh	63	46	.577
Chicago	59	51	.536
Brooklyn	55	53	.509
St. Louis	55	55	.500
Philadelphia	36	71	.336
Boston	31	76	.290

AMERICAN

	W.	L.	Pct.
New York	70	36	.660
Cleveland	60	50	.545
St. Louis	53	51	.510
Detroit	51	51	.500
Chicago	50	55	.476
Washington	48	56	.462
Philadelphia	46	60	.434
Boston	42	61	.408

COAST

	W.	L.	Pct.
San Francisco	82	54	.603
Sacramento	75	59	.560
Portland	70	62	.530
Seattle	63	69	.477
Salt Lake	62	70	.470
Vernon	63	71	.470
Los Angeles	61	72	.459
Oakland	58	77	.430

VICTORIA GOLF CLUB

The ladies' monthly bogey competition will be played on Friday, August 17. The L.G.U. silver medal for the year ending July 31 was won by Mrs. Parry, and the bronze medal by Miss Gladys Irving.

POLO TIGERS SAIL TODAY

LONDON, Aug. 14.—The Indian Tigers polo team, which will play a series of matches in the United States, will sail tomorrow for New York.

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Cricket Notes

By A. B. B.

Games With New Zealand

At the annual meeting of the Western Canada Cricket Association in Vancouver last week the Alberta representative made the suggestion that the association consider the advisability of arranging matches with the New Zealand cricketers.

The proposal is deserving of more than passing notice. With all due respect to Canadian cricketers, it may be said that the men from "down under" should be invited to this country as "missionaries." That is to say, their visit would help develop the game here, and our players would be all the better for their intercourse with cricketers who are admittedly ahead of Canadians in this branch of sport.

Where would Australian and New Zealand cricket been today but for the missionary efforts by the early teams that went out from England and infused that enthusiasm for the game that eventually enabled the Colonials to reach a high standard of play?

And ultimately the day arrived when Australia sent a team over to England and beat the Mother Country in the series of five test matches That was a great achievement, which W. W. Armstrong and his clever team accomplished.

It would be idle to say that Canada would reach that point in regard to cricket, but the fact we wish to emphasize is that intercourse between Canadian and New Zealand or Australian cricketers would go a long way towards improving the game here, and at the same time create that fellow-feeling between far-distant players that is the real object of those who love the game.

The Fastest Bowler

Who is the fastest bowler in the world today?

This question has given rise to a good deal of controversy during the present season in England, and the consensus of opinion leads to the belief that the honor belongs to E. A. Macdonald, the Australian who is fulfilling a three year engagement with the Nelson club, of the Lancashire League.

He has done some wonderful things this summer in league cricket, his best being ten wickets for eighteen runs against Burnley—six clean bowled. Up to July 23 he had taken seventy wickets at a cost of five runs each.

It may be recalled that it was Macdonald and Gregory who played havoc with the English batsmen in the test games of 1921. Both are powerful men, and the speed of their deliveries literally "tied up" the best players of the Mother Country.

Gilligan, the Sussex amateur, is one of the best known fast bowlers in English county cricket today. Howell, of Warwickshire, is also very fast.

Perhaps the best fast bowler of former days was Kortwright, of Essex. He beat the batsmen for sheer pace alone.

Koetz, the South African, earned a big reputation in his day as a fast trundler.

Tom Richardson (Surrey) and Arthur Mold (Lancashire) were likewise men of pace, but they did not depend on speed alone; they used their heads besides their arms.

Spofforth, the famous Australian, known as the "Demon Bowler," was not so fast as many spectators imagined. It was his command of the ball and the utilization of skill in changing his pace without altering his action that earned for him the title quoted above.

JUNIOR BASEBALL

Oaklands Wins From Pirates by 13 to 10 in Last Night's Game at Central Park

Oaklands defeated the Pirates last evening at Central Park by 13 to 10. The second inning proved the undoing of the famous Pirates, who, although putting up a good fight, were outplayed throughout the game. Kay started for the Pirates but gave way to Storcher in the fifth inning. McConnell was on the mound for Oaklands and was never really in danger, the Pirates being closer to score in the last inning than they were at any time prior thereto.

Heavy hitting combined with snappy fielding was the feature of the game on the part of Oaklands. Home runs by McDonald and McLaren helped to swell the Oaklands' total. Thomas, with two homers, and Walter and Kay, with one each, were the stars for the Pirates.

MACAULEY POINT GOLF CLUB

The following is the result of the men's monthly medal competition of the Macauley Point Golf Club, played Sunday last:

	Gross	Net
F. Coldwell	84	70
F. Burna	85	70
J. Clarke	87	82
C. V. McConnell	96	72
G. Leckie	95	73
W. B. Christopher	92	74
R. H. Fort	96	76
J. A. Davidson	94	77
G. S. Stephens	98	78
J. R. Macintyre	101	80
J. M. Mathews	101	81

The men's monthly sweepstake competition will be played on Saturday next, 18th inst. Eighteen holes, medal play, full handicap allowed. Entrance fee will be 25 cents; players may arrange their own partners, and post entries will be accepted.

GARRISON TENNIS

The following players have been selected to represent the Garrison Tennis Club in their match against the Elks at the Elks' ground at the Gorge on Sunday, August 19 (games to commence at 1:30 p.m., sharp):

Men's doubles—Collings and Knox, Elton and Wyndham, Little and Hale, Bradley and Kendrick, Harper and Wright, Cobbett and Hughes, Grimes and Murray, Wallace and Carr.

Mixed doubles—Mrs. Knox and Knox, Mrs. Elton and Elton, Mrs. Bradley and Bradley, Mrs. Collings and Collings, Mrs. Wyndham and Wyndham, Mrs. Youngman and Little, Mrs. Kendrick and Kendrick, Mrs. Harper and Harper, Mrs. Carr and Carr.

Ladies' doubles—Mrs. Knox and Mrs. Elton, Mrs. Bradley and Mrs. Kendrick, Mrs. Wyndham and Mrs. Collings, Mrs. Youngman and Mrs. Carr, Mrs. Harper and A. N. Other.

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SHOOTING KEEN IN BANKERS' COMPETITION

Three Marksmen Tied for First Place at Ottawa—Victorians Close Up With Good Scores

CONNAUGHT RANGES, OTTAWA, Aug. 14.—With a very heavy list of entries, the shooting in the Bankers' Competition today was very keen. The match was shot in two stages, at 200 and 500 yards, and three competitors, C. S. M. W. Jaffray, Toronto; L. H. W. Patterson, of Ottawa; and Lieutenant A. Martin, of Calgary, each turned in a high score of 94. Jaffray was accorded winner of the high money prize of $30 by having the most consistent score. Patterson was placed second, winning the $20 prize, and Martin third, winning $18.

The three leaders will shoot off for the Patterson Cup, the trophy of the competition.

Other scores: C. Q. M. S. A. Parnell, Vancouver, 93; Sergeant J. Freeborn, Vancouver, 93; Corporal J. A. Bowen, Edmonton, 92; Sergeant W. W. Wood, Victoria, 90; Major F. Richardson, Victoria, 89.

ST. ANDREW'S TENNIS TOURNAMENT RESULTS

St. Andrew's cup tournament for the mixed doubles club championship was continued last evening before a large attendance of club members and friends.

Mrs. Galbraith and Harry Sewell won from Miss May Simpson and Jack Aldridge, 8-1, after some interesting play.

Miss R. Melville and W. Erickson won from Miss D. Melville and Mr. V. Galbraith, 8-4.

Miss Mitchell and Leslie Smith won from Mrs. Galbraith and H. Sewell, 8-4.

The tournament will be continued on Thursday evening, when Miss Kenning and Earl Squire meet Miss Hamilton and Alf Lemm.

It is hoped that the finals will be played before the end of the week. The closing games prove to be very closely contested.

CALGARY TENNIS

Miss Jean Macfarlane Wins Another Champ ip, Defeating Mrs. A er in Finals

CALGARY, Aug. 13.—Miss Jean Macfarlane, Edmonton, carried off another tennis championship here today when she defeated Mrs. Miller, Calgary, in the final of the ladies' singles, score 7-5, 6-8, 6-4.

Casselman, Edmonton, and Manning, Delburne, won the men's handicap doubles from Kelly and Wilfong, Calgary, 6-3, 6-4.

Mrs. Toole and Miss Sparrow, Calgary, beat Miss Howes and C. Macfarlane in the final of the ladies' handicap doubles, 6-3, 6-1.

Mrs. Toole and F. V. Stuart, Calgary, won the mixed open doubles from Mrs. Bourque and H. A. Dyde, Edmonton, 6-2, 7-5.

Clay Court Games Make Fast Sport

VANCOUVER, Aug. 14.—Favorites came through unscathed in the second day's play of the British Columbia clay court championship tennis tournament at the Laurel Club here today. In the men's singles Merrilees and J. D. Forsythe won out. Sparling, Laurel's singles champion, eliminated Green, of Vancouver, in straight sets. Yates, a British Columbia Electric crack, provided lots of opposition for B. A. Rhodes before he was eliminated.

Miss Fraser and Rhodes were extended to three sets by Miss Henderson and Lacy, of Vancouver, before they won in the doubles.

MAKES COURSE RECORD

TORONTO, Aug. 14. — Following months of consistent golf, John Pritchard, professional of the Mississauga Golf and Country Club, yesterday established a record for his home course while playing with Major Mariatt, of Oakville, finishing with a 68 and using plain faced clubs. He went out in 36, one over par and came home in 32 with three birdies.

MANITOBA LAWN BOWLING

WINNIPEG, Aug. 13.—Dean W. J. Rutherford, of Saskatoon, was defeated by E. B. Fisher, Winnipeg, in the Dingwall competition of the Manitoba Lawn Bowling Association tournament here today. Vanderick, Saskatoon, won his Dingwall game from Shaw, of Brandon.

NEW JOB FOR MR. CAIN

PHILADELPHIA, August 14.—Cullen Cain, a Philadelphia sports writer, has been appointed assistant to President Reydler, of the National Baseball League. He will become manager of the league's service bureau, a newly created post in the baseball world.

MEYERS WINS HIS BOUT

CHICAGO, Aug. 14.—Johnny Meyers, middleweight wrestling champion, retained his title last night when he defeated Heinie Engle, of Dubuque, Iowa, in straight falls.

PIGGLY WIGGLY MAN LOSES HIS MILLIONS

Manager of Great Chain of Stores Drops Nine Million Dollars and Goes Broke

MEMPHIS, Aug. 14. — Clarence Saunders today paid dearly for his short lived victory over Wall Street. The "boy financier," who three months ago counted the profits of his trading in Piggly Wiggly stock on the New York Stock Exchange in millions, today prepared to surrender everything he possessed—even his home—"in an attempt to prevent bankruptcy."

Saunders, one-time grocery clerk, was ready to surrender stock and control in the management of the Piggly Wiggly chain of self-serving stores which he founded. His obligations, according to estimates, totalled $5,000,000. This was money borrowed to carry on a campaign to force up the price of Piggly Wiggly stock.

Nearly a year ago Saunders believed speculators were trying to ruin him by forcing down the price of stock in his stores. He bought all of the Piggly Wiggly stock offered for sale. Pools were formed among business men to raise money to finance Saunders in purchasing the stock.

The "grocery clerk financier" obtained nearly all of the outstanding stock, and when those who had sold short tried to buy to cover their sales, the price was forced up from $32 a share to around $500.

When Saunders had more than $4,000,000 in paper profits the board of governors of the New York Stock Exchange suspended trading in the stock, declaring a corner existed.

With no market left for his holdings Saunders was unable to sell securities to pay the money borrowed from the pools. He announced he would retire from the presidency and give up all control of the Piggly Wiggly at a meeting of the pool today.

"I have lost my business and my money, but I have gained knowledge from which I will attempt to build up another fortune," he said. "I will lose every nickle I have, even my home."

A new system of financing Piggly Wiggly stores was expected to be worked out at the meeting. Headquarters of the company may be moved to New Orleans.

Saunders turned over his $9,000,000 in assets in settlement of debts aggregating $5,000,000. The assets, according to figures of the man who rose from a grocery clerk to head of the great chain store system, only to lose in a stock market fight, follow:

Blocks of Piggly Wiggly stock, $8,000,000.

Palatial country estate, $875,000.

Home in Memphis, $125,000.

Also were included numerous automobiles and other personal property.

FLOWERS OF A MOUNTAIN PASS

Mrs. Starr, the rescuer of Miss Ellis from the midst of the wild Afridi tribesmen, tells in "Outward Bound" the story of a journey she made in the Summer of 1923 into the little known region of Ladakh, or Lesser Tibet. She had to climb the Zogi La Pass, over 11,000 feet high, and she gave a glowing account of the Alpine flowers she met with:

"Beyond the tree-level the sun was hot, the air cold; we soon got painfully sunburnt, but felt most invigorated. Nothing to be seen but rock peaks, snow patches, grass slopes, and the flowers—Alpine flowers, which spring with the melting of the snow. A blue sheen of forget-me-nots gave a sky-blue color to the valley slopes. Large single white anemones like "Christmas Roses," which I had not seen before, dotted the ground in patches, or in masses like daisies in the fields at home. Purple magneta and blue primulas, the wild purple iris, red garlic, and a tall, cream wild foxglove, edelweiss and gentian, the small, deep blue Swiss variety. But this was only the beginning of the season! Not until we were coming back, in August, were the flowers at their best, and then the whole Zogi was a vertiable rock garden from start to finish. Just riding through it, I counted without difficulty or undue search over seventy-five different kinds of wild flowers! Of the five passes one crosses going to Leh—though two are over 13,000 feet, and the Zogi is but 11,000 feet odd—yet only the Zogi is snow-covered, and flower-covered too."

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There is some strange fascination in grubbing in the earth. Children are never happier than when they are making mud-pies, and wise old savants of grave demeanor will spend all their own money and any more that others will compassionately give them, holding their labors well rewarded if they find a jawbone with a molar still attached or a thighbone of some extinct species of the order Proboscides. Men of more calculating character will grout away patiently in the soil, searching for little specks of yellow metal, but these are without the nobility of mind which urges a man to seek fame in the admiration of a few learned societies rather than notoriety in the cabarets of Broadway. Here is some mysterious quality which, though we wonder at it, must compel our respect. Though we live in a commercial city, whose inhabitants tune their ears to catch the distant whisper of a profit, we cannot withhold our admiration for the man who will look for a skeleton where he has found a skull and who hopefully takes a molar to be the sign of a mastodon. In Ontario a learned professor is about to embark on such a task, with optimism, no doubt, but optimism well founded, for in no country of the world has palaeontology yielded so many of her secrets as here in this part of North America.

Born in Africa

Moreover, he goes to search for the bones of the mastodon, and the mastodon is, in a sense, a peculiarly American possession. True, his remains are found from end to end of the Northern Hemisphere, but nowhere so plentifully nor in such good condition as here. For, countless thousands of years after this father of the elephants had become extinct in the Old World, he still flourished in vast herds in the forests east of the Mississippi. For the mastodon, like all the great mammals (so the scientists say), had its home of origin in Africa. He bore a certain family likeness to the elephant, save, apparently that his legs were shorter, his back broader and his ears no larger than a cow's. He was, in fact, as a humorist once aptly described him, a sort of cross between a bison and an elephant. For ages, it appears, he grunted his way across Africa, gradually adapting himself for the newer conditions which he was experiencing. In time he must have reached the peninsula of Sinai and the Arabian desert, though what he could have found to eat there is a mystery. Perhaps, as some say, the deserts were not deserts in those days, but immense tracts of forest land, and he found his progress a primrose path of dalliance. That seems possible enough when we recollect that man had not yet come to start forest fires and turn the world into a wilderness. In any case he took a long while stumping northwards across Asia, during which time he discarded a pair of tusks from his lower jaw as useless (they made his chin stick out too much), added many inches to his trunk, a few to the tusks in his upper jaw, and grew a woolly coat.

Seeks Adventure

He was now prepared for the great adventure. By this time he had reached the northeastern extremity of Asia, and already his cousins of less roving disposition, whom he had left behind in the forests of Ethiopia, were falling victims to the newer and more vigorous species which were being developed in that workshop of the Creator, and a new elephant was taking their place. By roaming across Siberia till he reached Kamschatka, the mastodon added thousands of years to his life, and when he crossed the Bering Strait he took unconscious refuge from a cruel little mammal, which had only just appeared on the earth, which stood erect on two legs, had hands with which it could fashion weapons, hunted with cunning, and knew the use of fire. Ages, however, passed before man took the same route from Siberia and pushed his way south in the New World. Thus it is that scientists, digging in the soil of North America, find the bones of this departed monarch in the pleistocene deposits, whereas in the Old World they find them only in the Pliocene.

Mistakes Discovered

Now the study of extinct species dates from recent times. Not until the nineteenth century did Darwin show the way to biological knowledge. The hardest and most credulous notions had formerly been received by men (learned men at that), and the existence of hippogriffs, unicorns and mermaids had never been seriously questioned. Occasionally the bones of some gargantuan monster would be discovered, and grave, wise old men would dilate at length on the gigantic physique of our forefathers. "A tooth weighing four and three-quarter pounds," says the Encyclopaedia Britannica, "and a thigh bone seventeen feet long" (Great Caesar's ghost!) "having been found in New England in 1712 (they were probably mastodon), Dr. Increase Mather thereupon communicated to the Royal Society of London his theory of the existence of men of prodigious stature in the antediluvian world."

A thigh bone seventeen feet long? Is it possible that the great monument of British erudition may have been marred by an error? If the figure were correct, then in very truth there were giants in those days. But it cannot be correct, for the mastodon is known to have rarely attained a greater height than twelve feet, having been about the same size as the modern African elephant. Perhaps Dr. Mather could not realize the tendency to exaggeration in narrative since believed to be characteristic of the American people. Whatever size it may have been, however, in those days it was not recognized as belonging to an extinct species of mammal, but was assigned to the giants of fable, whose wars with the gods had so enriched ancient classical literatures. Nowadays it is different. Our Ontario professor, learned in the history of the Ungulates and Dactylates, will doubtless flourish a shrewd spade until maybe he has unearthed a whole specimen worthy of comparison with the famous New York "mastodon with the toothache." Where it will go to then does not concern us, for it will certainly not come to Montreal, where the population is as little interested in the fauna of their country, whether surviving or extinct, as they are in the future of its people.—J. L. A. in Montreal Star.

Penitentiary Official Gets B.C. Appointment

WINNIPEG, Aug. 14.—Col. H. W. Cooper, warden at Stoney Mountain penitentiary, has been appointed warden of the British Columbia penitentiary at New Westminster, it was officially reported here tonight.

Colonel Cooper was deputy warden at Montreal penitentiary before coming to Stoney Mountain, where he introduced new methods of prison management and of dealing with prisoners, aimed at transforming criminals into respectable citizens.

Represents Company On Arbitration Body

VANCOUVER, Aug. 14.—Mr. A. G. McCandless has been appointed British Columbia Electric Company's representative to the Board of Conciliation, and he and the men's representative, Alderman R. P. Pettipiece, will select the chairman.

The hearings will commence next week, it is believed, though an effort may be made to have them start earlier.

AVIATORS KILLED

VENICE, Cal., Aug. 14.—Joe Huff, known along the Pacific Coast as the tailor aviator, and Edwin Dihall, a negro, twenty-one years old, were killed when the airplane in which they were riding crashed tonight.

LIQUOR DESTROYED

WINNIPEG, Aug. 14.—While police officials and press representatives attended the last rites, liquor, some good, but mostly bad, valued at more than a quarter of a million dollars, was poured into sewers here today. It was confiscated by Provincial police in 700 raids during the last six months.

Three Asphyxiated

EAST ST. LOUIS, Aug. 14.—Three men were found dead in a gas-filled room in a lodging-house here this evening. Two of the dead were known at the rooming-house as Edward Brennan, aged 44, a railroad switchman, and Jas. E. Egannon, a conductor, on the Missouri Pacific Railway. A third man has not yet been identified. Policemen who investigated found a gas stove opened.

Naptha Regulations

OTTAWA, Aug. 14.—Regulations governing the sale of naptha for use in lamps have been established by an order-in-council. The regulations provide that naptha shall not be sold for use in lamps unless the lamps are of a design approved by the Canadian Fire Underwriters' Association, or the Western Fire Underwriters Association.

Heads Washington Elks

EVERETT, Wash., Aug. 14.—Joseph Stepter, of Everett, was elected president of the Washington State Elks at this morning's business session of delegates to the nineteenth annual convention. Bellingham was chosen for next year's convention, and Bremerton for the mid-Winter meeting of the officers.

Pioneer Justice Passing

MONTREAL, Aug. 14.—It was reported at the residence of Sir Alexandre Lacoste, former Chief Justice of the province of Quebec, this afternoon, that he was failing fast. Sir Alexandre is in his eighty-second year.

Pantages Theatre

"WHERE EVERYBODY GOES"
THREE DAYS
Beginning Tonight at 7 and 9—Matinees Tomorrow and Thurs., 3 p.m.

Mary Ann Wells' DANCERS
IN a DANCE CYCLE

MANHATTAN TRIO ..... COMEDY SINGING
THELMA THURMAN and MARIE BROULETTE
"Musical Moments"
HARRY COLEMAN ..... VENTRILOQUIST
ESTHER PRESSMAN ..... JUVENILE ENTERTAINER
PANTAGESCOPE 1. Century Comedy "Buddy at the Bat" 2. Scenic Cruise of Princess Maquinna

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NORMA TALMADGE
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"Love's Redemption"

"Ginger," daughter of the tropics—Norma's most magnetic role.
Extra Comedy Special
BUSTER KEATON
in
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He blows out the flame of the Yukon and punctures the Northern Lights—You'll laugh your head off.

DOMINION

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MAIN STREET
Starring
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The most-talked-of novel of the age. It is a story rich with the heart stuff that captures interest and makes one lose oneself in the throbbing drama unfolded.

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CAPITOL

TODAY

King Vidor's production of John Golden's Great Stage Success by Austin Strong

3 Wise Fools

It has action—It has humor—It has power—It has charm.

Special Music Lovers' Attraction All Week.

VICTOR EDMUNDS
Famous Canadian Tenor in Song Selections.

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Organist, rendering the latest novelty hits on the Capitol Concert Organ.

COLUMBIA

TODAY
Double Attraction
JANE NOVAK
In "Belle of Alaska"
A Heart and Action Drama of the Roaring Yukon and
TOM MIX
In
The Law and the Outlaw
Comedy
"A Champion By Chance"
COMING THURSDAY
"The Flower of the North"

PARODY A COMPLIMENT

Sir Owen Seaman's recent lecture on the functions of parody recalls to a writer in The Manchester Guardian the spirit in which some of the best known of his fellow craftsmen have approached their work. Sir Arthur Quiller Couch once declared that parody was among the highest of compliments, since only the gods of literature were worth the parodist's attention, and he "must be friends with the gods, and worthy of their company before taking these pleasant liberties with them." Sir Theodore Martin was extremely anxious to have it known that the "Bon Gaultier Ballads" were intended as "a form of hero-worship," and J. K. Stephen, in his "Parodist's Apology," confessed:

If I have dared to laugh at you,
Robert Browning,
'Tis with eyes that with you have often wept;
You have oftener left me smiling and frowning
Than any beside, one bard except.

Mussolini: The Man

London Express.

There is something changed in the state of Italy. One feels it in the very air; travelers remark it, chat about it, forget it until they say to each other: "Why, have you noticed? The train is on time!"

Not only is the train punctual now, but letters are delivered promptly, and the telegrams come to hand with dispatch. Up and down the length and breadth of Italy there is not a murmur of a strike. What has brought about this remarkable condition of things?

The answer is: Benito Mussolini and his Fascists. From the Sicilian village children who hurl stones at your motor car to the ragpickers of Naples who sweep down the Via Roma at nightfall, all shout the Fascist greeting, "Alala," at you.

Everywhere, too, friend greets friend with the right arm outstretched as in the days of ancient Rome. Sometimes, I think, the gesture and greeting are made with derision, but there is no doubt even those who mock recognize the renaissance of Italy under the dictatorship of Mussolini.

Mussolini had been a Socialist, almost a Communist, before he revived Fascism and taught the world the real meaning of the word, which is, in effect, to govern. Mussolini's advent to power has now passed into history, but the man behind the mask is very little known.

In appearance Benito Mussolini is a mixture of Napoleon Bonaparte and Theodore Roosevelt. The face and pose are those of the former, but the voice and manner are those of the famous American.

Despite his theatricalness, Mussolini is a realist. He gets things done. The other day in Rome I had occasion to call, with an Italian colleague, at a certain ministry. Mussolini was in Messina. The time was four in the afternoon, but there was nobody at home. "When the cat's away," remarked my friend. He told me that when the Premier was in Rome every employee of every ministry was at his post all day. Nobody knew but that when he arrived in the morning he might find Mussolini there before him. The Premier has a way of arriving as early as seven.

But despite his power and his attitude, a la Roosevelt, of "govern or get out," Mussolini is a lonely man. His only friends are those he has put into office, and, although he believes these men to be loyal to him, he dreads the assassin's bullet and the stab in the back. He has just sent his family away to Switzerland, like an admiral giving an order to clear the decks before an action.

The action will soon be fought. It will be a battle around electoral reform, and the result will show whether or not Fascism has come to stay.

Our House

It should be yours, if I could build
The quaint old dwelling I desire,
With books and pictures bravely filled
And chairs beside an open fire,
White-paneled rooms with candles lit—
I lie awake to think of it!

A dial for the sunny hours,
A garden of old-fashioned flowers—
Say marigolds and lavender —
And mignonette and fever-few,
And Judas-tree and maidenhair
And candytuft and thyme and rue—
All these for you to wander in.

A Chinese carp (called Mandarin)
Waving a sluggish silver fin
Deep in the moat; so tame he comes
To lip your fingers offering crumbs.
Tall chimneys like long listening ears,
White shutters, ivy green and thick
And walls of ruddy Tudor brick
Grown mellow with the passing year.

And windows with small leaded panes,
Broad window-seats for when it rains;
A big blue bowl of pot pourri
And—yes, a Spanish chestnut tree
To coin the autumn's minted gold.
A Summer house for drinking tea—
All these (just think) for you and me.

A staircase in the old black wood
Cut in the days of Robin Hood,
And banisters worn smooth as glass
Down which your hand will lightly pass;
A piano with pale yellow keys
For wistful twilight melodies,
And dusty bottles in a bin—
And these for you to revel in.

But when? Ah, well, until that time
We'll habit in this house of rhyme.
—Christopher Morley.

Corn stalks are an excellent material for paper making.

At the Playhouses

FIVE ACTS ON BILL AT PANTAGES SHOW

Mary Ann Wells Dancers Head Current Week's Offering at Government Street Playhouse

This week's bill at the Pantages Theatre, headed by the Mary Ann Wells Dancers, was witnessed by two well-filled houses at the opening performances of the show last night. All five of the vaudeville turns, which will be given again today and tomorrow, at a matinee each day and two shows nightly, contained music and songs, and a number of popular pieces were rendered by the various performers.

Such favorite songs as "Yes, We Have No Bananas," "Pal o' Mine," "The Little Red Schoolhouse," "Tucky Home" and 'The World Is Waiting for the Sunrise" were included in the programme, while a number of classical compositions were given.

Styled on the programme as offering a "Cycle of Dances," the Mary Ann Wells Dancers gave an exposition of the terpsichorean art, and several of the solo dancers were accorded applause. The company, consisting of ten artists, presented their turn in several scenes.

The Manhattan Trio, composed of three male singers, gave a variety of vocal selections as well as a couple of imitations. Their offering was well received by the audience, which enjoyed the comedy singing.

Esther Pressman, juvenile entertainer, a miss of tender years, displayed her ability to act in no mean fashion by singing and dancing her way into her audience's favor. This talented youngster sang "The Wooden Soldiers" and other popular pieces, which were applauded. Her singing of "He Loves It" went over fine.

Piano and violin were heard in concert when Thelma Thurman and Marie Broulette presented their offering termed "Musical Moments." Miss Thurman played classical and popular music on the violin, and was ably accompanied at the piano by her partner. Miss Broulette sang a very pleasing ditty entitled "Everybody Calls Me Honey," which was enjoyed.

The Gainsborough Girls were heard in ballads, old and new. The four ladies taking part in the act contributed well-known songs, each of which was sung by the women ensemble.

The show opened with an overture by the Pantages orchestra, a comedy film entitled "Buddy at the Bat," and some scenic views from the decks of the Princess Maquinna on a trip in northern waters.

"MAIN STREET" NOVEL MAKES FINE PICTURE

Sinclair Lewis' Popular Story Now Showing at Dominion Theatre—Florence Vidor Plays Lead

"Main Street," which opened on Monday at the Dominion Theatre, and which will continue throughout the week, is a picture of pictures. The word great has been bandied about so often and freely that it has lost some of its connotations. Yet, it is the word, and the only word, fit to describe this wonderful picture which has lost not a single quality in its transposition to the screen from Lewis Sinclair's novel of the same name.

"Main Street" is the story of Carol Kennicott and her brave but pathetic efforts to make Gopher Prairie a better place to live in. She is filled with ideas she wishes to put into practice. The inhabitants do not sympathize with her; even her husband, Dr. Kennicott, is too engrossed in his medical practice to further his wife's plan.

In despair, she finds her only ally in Erik Valborg, a young idealist. Two things happen; tongues begin wagging maliciously, and Erik finds himself so hopelessly in love with Carol that he wants her to elope. These situations bring on the dramatic climaxes to the picture.

COLUMBIA THEATRE Jane Novak, in "Belle of Alaska," directed by Chester Bennett and distributed by American Releasing Corporation, which will show at the Columbia Theatre for the last time today, is full of thrills, action and pathos. One of the mighty thrills, showing a Yukon steamer crashing against an iceberg off the Pacific Coast, is said to be the most effective shipwreck scene ever devised for a motion picture entertainment. Half dressed, undressed, half dazed from sleep, passengers are shown in a mad fight for safety. The ship is seen sinking slowly as the steamer's searchlight plays upon the surface of the water. Scores of desperate passengers can be seen struggling in the water to climb on life-rafts, life-preservers or any litter from the ship floating about in the water.

CAPITOL THEATRE A picture that will delight everyone who sees it, opened a six days' engagement at the Capitol Theatre on Monday. It is Goldwyn's first King Vidor production, "Three Wise Fools," fashioned by the director himself from the successful stage play by Austin Strong as produced in New York by John Golden and Winchell Smith. This comedy-drama had a three-year's run on the speaking stage. The screen version sets before the eye several important scenes that were just hinted at, or which took place off-stage in the play version. One is a spectacular jail-break in which the heroine's father escapes with two other convicts who had staged the flight. The jail delivery, by armored motor-car, is one of the most exciting sequences recently seen. The characters in the story have the feeling of reality and charm which they had in the spoken play. Eleanor Boardman, fresh from her triumph in "Souls for Sale," plays the leading feminine role with exquisite charm and understanding. Claude Gillingwater, who acted the role of Findley in the stage version, has the same role in the photoplay and plays it so well that screen fans should see to it he is never allowed to stop acting for the films. He is one of the "three wise fools"; the other two are veterans of the stage, William H. Crane and Alec Francis.

AMUSEMENTS

The Screen

Capitol — "Three Wise Fools," starring Claude Gillingwater.

Columbia—Jane Novak in "Belle of Alaska."

Dominion—"Main Street," featuring Florence Vidor and Monte Blue.

Royal — Norma Talmadge in "Love's Redemption."

The Stage

Pantages—Vaudeville.

ROYAL THEATRE "Love's Redemption," the First National attraction which marks Norma Talmadge's latest screen offering, continues to draw at the Royal Theatre, where it is scheduled to run four more days. The name of the star, coupled with a story of unusual interest and heart appeal and magnificent settings and tropical scenery, have contributed to an unusually successful run. The picture deals with the character of Ginger, a quaint little girl who has been left an orphan in Jamaica. Her mother was a Spanish opera singer and her father an English soldier of fortune; and the mingling of these two bloods is admirably brought out in the star's excellent delineation of the character. To make the tropical scenes of the picture the company spent three weeks in the West Indies and some of the shots were taken on the sugar plantation of a millionaire landowner of the islands. In addition to the feature picture, Buster Keaton is seen in his latest comedy special, "The Frozen North." It is a comedy that creates laughter from the very start and is a great acquisition to the present programme.

SHOPPING IN PARIS

Paris stores, and, indeed, three-quarters of the Paris shops, lay down as a definite rule that no credit can be extended to their customers. On this point they are inexorable.

The exception to this rule, and perhaps the only one, is that the fashion artists of the Rue de la Paix and its costly neighborhood still allows fair and well-known clients to run up extensive bills. Dresses and cloaks, frocks and lingerie, can still be had for the signing of an order form, and some of the best Paris houses acknowledge, to their regret, that the bad debts in their business amount sometimes to 25 per cent of their turnover.

Everywhere else, however, the motto of the Paris shopman seems to be: "Grant every wish of the customer as long as he, or more often she, pays on the nail."

A well-known weakness of women shoppers is that they never really know their minds. And in Paris the facility for the return of purchased goods is carried to the very extreme. Silk and stuffs that have been cut off by the yard and do not suit the customer will be patiently taken back.

Goods that have been kept for months may be returned. I know of a wealthy Parisienne who was staying at a well-known watering-place in Central France last year and wanted some colored jumpers. She wrote to her favorite stores, and, being a true Parisienne, told them to send her half a dozen of assorted colors.

They came, she paid for them, and kept them to choose which she would like.

None of them seemed to please her. Some were too bright and some too dull. Some suited her complexion but not her dress, and others the reverse.

"I will wait till I get to Deauville," she said, "and see what is being worn there."

She did. July passed and so did August, and finally in September she returned to Paris and the jumpers returned to the stores. A day later madame received a polite note enclosing a cash order.

In another case a pretty young girl bought a length of pink silk brocade. After three weeks she returned it with a request that a similar length be sent her in black, as she had to go into mourning.

The silk department wrote back to state they regretted that the factory where the stuff was woven had been closed down owing to a strike, but that they had sent a piece of grey brocade to be dyed.

This fabric was dispatched to the client within a fortnight, but was, however, scornfully rejected owing to the fact that it had slightly shrunk in the process of dyeing.

The department manager wrote again, begging for a little more time, and three weeks later he forwarded the requisite number of yards of black brocade. He had sent a special traveler to the factory that was closed to obtain the full patterns and specification of the brocade, and had had fifty pieces of it woven in another mill!—Daily Mail.

DIVORCES IN CANADA

Marriages in Canada are successful, and families still are loyal to the "till death do us part" tradition. Divorces granted in the Dominion numbered only 544 in 1922, or two-thirds of one per cent. of all the marriages contracted, according to a report just compiled by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics.

Based on population, the report shows, divorces numbered seven to every 100,000 persons. Divorces in the United States, according to official figures for the last year on record, numbered 112 to every 100,000 people.

"The 1922 figures," says the report, "probably indicate that the wave of divorce due to the war has reached its highest point and is now on the decline. Total decrees granted last year showed a reduction of four compared with 1921. The remarkably low per cent. of divorces shows the stability of Canadian homes and institutions."

Of the total divorces granted, husbands received 318, or about 60 per cent and wives 226, or about 40 per cent. British Columbia led in decrees issued, with 128, followed by Alberta with 129 and Manitoba with 97. One Province, Prince Edward Island, granted no divorces. Only one divorce has been granted in this Province since 1868, and that was in 1922.

The greater per cent. of the divorced were residents of cities. Comparatively few applications were made among the agricultural population.

Children and Music

By Arthur Mason

We should "cultivate our gardens," urged Voltaire, in an inspired word. The gardens of music are many hued, and of infinite capacity of bloom and fragrance. The Children's Garden, in particular, is a delightful corner of them. For long left to blow and grow where it listed, the Children's Garden of Music might have faded and died out for its inherent vitality and vigor, and its hidden stores of inspiration and impulse. How it grew and flourished, with what an outpouring of scents, and colors, and of sweetness born of the charm of youth and innocence, let the voices and the child-songs of myriads of children, and the music of unumbered tiny fingers, and the secret laughter of music rippling through the whole world of child-hearts, proclaim. It is a wonder-garden of music, this of the children. To tell the truth, it is only half-seen and half-heard, and not nearly half-understood, by us their elders who cultivate other spaces of the spread field of the art we all love.

An Awakening

But we have awakened in recent years to a fuller realization than once we had of the actual beauty and the dormant possibilities of these shining sun-filled spaces of the Children's Garden of Music. The activity now so vigorous on behalf of child-music, and the music of children, is a finer activity than was ever available to them. It has become a campaign. The world of children's music has been newly discovered as offering those who work for the expansion of music's domain their best opportunity. Never before was music so clearly seen to be an inexhaustibly rich possession of the child. Never before was the cultivation of music so clearly seen to be a necessary part of the child's education, nor never before was music so assiduously, or so persuasively, or so understandingly urged upon the children. The schools are filled with music. The school singing lesson has developed out of all recognition. School songs, school entertainments with music, school displays of children's musical proficiency, school stalks on music, musical lectures in the schools, half-hours of school time-tables devoted not merely to direct teaching of the subject, but to the performance of music to classes of children for their listening to music, their absorption of music, their enjoyment of as well as their instruction in music—these things are universally abroad in the land. They are activities on behalf of music which cannot fail to have enormous results, which can scarcely fail, indeed, to induce such a widespread love of music, instructed appreciation of music attachment to music, as will expand beyond calculation the musical public of this country. Provided, that is, all this energy of effort in the schools is adequately supported elsewhere—in the home, and in the music - making world outside the schools.

Home Music

As to the place of home music in the musical education of young people, nothing need be said here. It is my intention, rather, to emphasize the need for a closer organization of outside musical influences. They already exist. They are indispensable, if the flood of musical activity in the schools is not to dribble away into useless shallows. There must be a connecting channel of music provision between that of the schools and that of the adult audiences of the concert rooms and the opera houses. At present, the boy and girl pass out of the schoolroom and its admirable activity in music, and sink or swim, musically, within the thousandfold but unrelated activities of the adult musical life around them. The musical provision now existing for the youth of the land is invaluable. But it is as yet no more than experimental and tentative. It could be organized into schemes of music provision specially intended for juveniles and for adolescents. Concerts for children, for example. What an amount of reproductive activity is suggested to the musical worker here!

Concerts for children have been tried, as is well known, in some places. The recent experiments of Edinburgh, at Glasgow, and at other places, with concerts which combined performance of orchestral music with explanatory remarks by the conductors upon that music and the instruments conveying it, are reported as having been greatly enjoyed by their young audiences. And, in another connection, no one who saw the hundreds of children at the recent performance of "Hansel and Gretel" at Covent Garden by the British National Opera Company, could have failed to realize the attractiveness for them of that beautiful musical setting of a children's story. There is only one "Hansel and Gretel," it is true, but that very fact suggests the opportunity open to British composers believed to be in need of suitable opera libretti. Let one of them write a British children's opera.

Children's Concerts

There is a good deal of music attached to childhood—for orchestra, Elgar's "Wand of Youth" suite, for example, and for pianoforte, Schumann's "Scenes of Childhood," leap to the mind. But although this class of music has a definite child programme, nearly always it is intended for and is played to the adult audiences of the conventional concert rooms. Children's concerts should be concerts exclusively for children. They would not lack suitable music. A great deal of suitable music already exists, not always, or necessarily, music written for the children, but music attached to a subject of interest to children—as to which, moreover, a demand for children's music would soon impel its supply. And such music could be made the basis of many a concert which would delight a young audience. Performance on almost any solo instrument has attractiveness for children. Song programmes of suitably diversified and tuneful character — straightforward songs, children's songs, light-hearted songs in general—could be made up with little trouble and in great variety. Orchestral concerts might need careful handling, and would probably be most acceptable when varied by solo items, while for a time, perhaps, all children's concerts had better be "mixed" concerts. Thus, children's concert programmes would be most suitably laid out in ballads for solo voices and instrumental solos; or in choral items, songs, and instrumental solos.

Musical Capacity

Properly selected programmes might safely be expected to draw crowds of young folk—and I am sure it is not too fanciful a faith which impels me to suggest that in any season of orchestral concerts or of ballad concerts in the larger centres of music, a concert for children on some such lines would be among the most popular of the series. In lesser musical centres, and in small towns, children's concerts could easily be organized, and, given the suitable programme, would be sure of their audiences.

The child's capacity to listen to music and to appreciate music is now being cultivated over a wider field, with more enthusiasm, with more insight, with more success, than ever before. The provision of music available to the adult listener is of greater volume, and enjoys a wider patronage, than any it has ever known. But those two encouragingly successful activities are operating at two separated periods of the music lover's lifetime. Between those periods are the plastic years of youth and adolescence, years in which the character and the quality of the individual, his tastes and his interests, are most susceptible to the moulding influences at work upon them. His musical taste not least—even his response in any degree to the appeal of music. For that reason, surely, every kind of organized effort to attach him to music is worth while. Children's concerts are one way.

An eye like a hawk is as nothing to the new "electrical eye," a device which is being successfully used for sorting fruits and vegetables. The slightest discoloration in the foodstuff passing before the judicial mechanical eye results in its dropping through a tray in the carrier while its more fortunate brethern are assembled elsewhere for marketing at higher prices.

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Will amaze and delight you

This offers you a ten-day test, to show the way to prettier teeth. To cleaner, safer teeth.

Millions now employ it. You see the results in whiter teeth wherever you look today. Now find out, for your own sake, what that way means to you.

Film—the great enemy

Dingy teeth and most tooth troubles come from film. From that viscous film you feel. Much of it resists the tooth brush, clings and stays.

Soon that film discolors. Then it forms dingy coats, and white teeth lose their luster.

Film also holds food substance which ferments and forms acid. It holds the acid in contact with the teeth to cause decay. It breeds millions of germs, and they, with tartar, are the chief cause of pyorrhea.

Very few people who brush teeth in old ways escape those film-caused troubles.

How to combat it

Dental science, after long research, has found ways to fight that film. One acts to disintegrate the film at all stages of formation. The other removes it without harmful scouring.

A new-type tooth paste has been created to apply those methods daily. The name is Pepsodent. Now leading dentists the world over advise it, and careful people of some 50 nations enjoy its benefits.

Natural, gentle ways

In other ways Pepsodent is bringing a new dental era. It multiplies the alkalinity of the saliva and multiplies its starch digestant.

Those are Nature's agents for fighting acids and starch deposits on the teeth. Every use of Pepsodent gives them manifold effect.

Thus Pepsodent acts to protect the enamel in natural, gentle ways, and without the grit that injures.

Send the coupon for a 10-Day Tube. Note how clean the teeth feel after using. Mark the absence of the viscous film. See how teeth whiten as the film-coats disappear.

You will be amazed and delighted at what you see and feel. Cut out coupon now. This is too important to forget.

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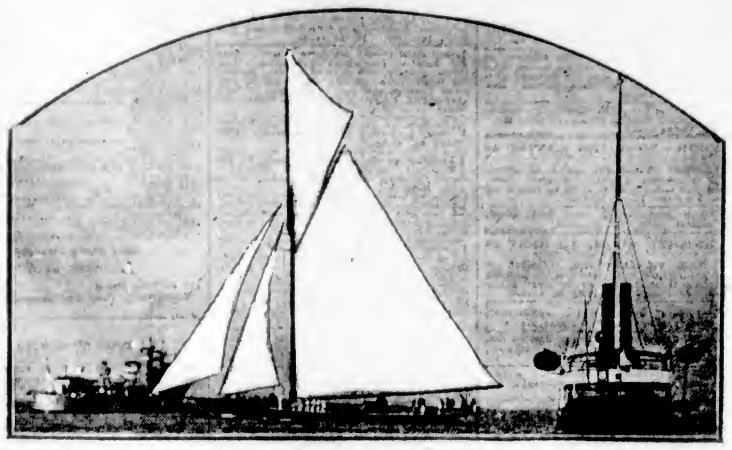
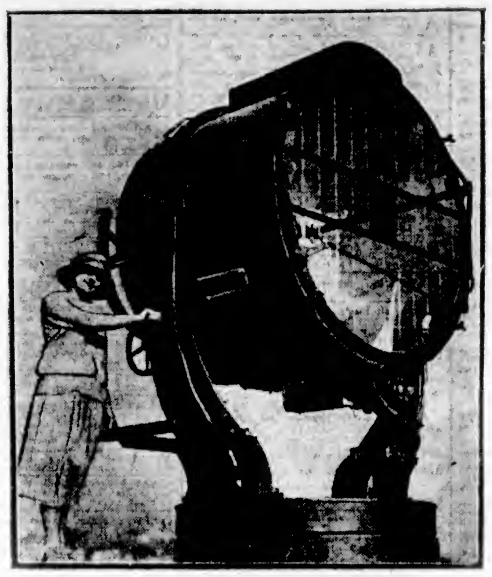
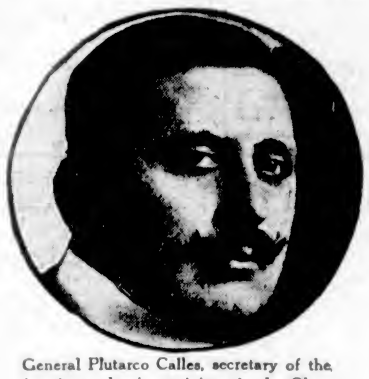


The King's yacht Britannia lining up for the race with Mrs. Workman's Nyria. The Britannia won by seven minutes.



What is believed to be the largest searchlight in the world has just been completed and will be used as a beacon light for ships passing through the Golden Gate. It may be seen at a distance of twelve miles.

Lolus Ruis believes that she is one of the most beautiful women in Spain. She will be given a chance to compete in a national beauty contest.



General Plutarco Calles, secretary of the interior and prime minister in the Obregon government, who seems to be the popular choice of the Labor party for the office of president of Mexico.

She is Miss Margueritte Evans, whose perfect "50" form won for her the undisputed title of champion heavyweight bathing beauty in a recent contest.

Photo shows members of the Royal Ulster Constabulary, who were decorated by the King at the latest investiture held at Buckingham Palace.

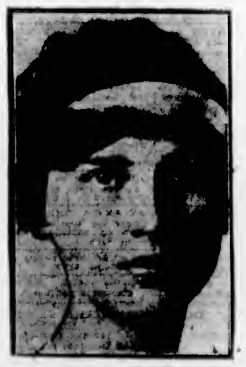
This advanced fall model is made of very heavy tan material with horizontal and vertical dark brown stripes and displays the short cape.

Piernet, famous Italian dancer, shakes a high-priced hoof on the beach at Alassio, on the Ligurian Riviera, clad in gorgeous stream line pyjamas.

A hard try for a goal during a recent polo match between Eglinton and Toronto.

Mrs. R. C. Clayton, covered tennis court champion of England, arrives from Europe with her mascot dog to meet American players.

An interesting photograph of President Coolidge [illegible] wagon on his father's farm at Plymouth, Vermont, two days before the late president's death.



Princess Olga, eldest daughter of Prince Nicholas of Greece, who, according to latest reports, is engaged to marry Prince Paul of Serbia.

The latest photograph of Princess Durri-Chehvar Sultane, daughter of the Turkish Sultan, Abdul Medjid Effendi.

One of the chief aims of the Fascisti government in Italy is to increase the agricultural production. Famous Trappist monks are setting an example by offering their services for agricultural work.

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Business or Professional Cards, of four lines or under, $5.00 per month. Additional space at $1.25 per line per month.

BIRTHS, MARRIAGES, DEATHS

BIRTHS

McLORIE—At St. Joseph's Hospital, on Monday, August 13th, to Mr. and Mrs. Ian McLorie, of 939 Cullinson St., a daughter.

DRAPER—At St. Joseph's Hospital, on the 14th inst., to Mr. and Mrs. W. Draper, a daughter.

DEATHS

SAVAGE—Suddenly, at Wilson Creek, Wash., on Sunday, 12th inst., James M. Savage, in his 84th year.

Funeral will take place at 3 p.m., Thursday, from 837 St Charles St. Interment in family plot, St. Catharines, Ontario. No flowers.

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"The Floral Funeral Home of the West"
The keynote of our business—your confidence and the sacredness of our calling.
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ANNOUNCEMENTS 1

BARBERS' Picnic—Barbers' shops will be closed all day Wednesday, August 15th. Local 378.

GOLF whist drive, 1230 Government St., Wednesday, 3.30. Good scrip prizes.

COME to the garden party on behalf of the Social Service and Girls' Club, at Pentrelew," 1201 Fort St., on Thursday, the 16th, at 3 o'clock. A good time is assured. This is a chance to spend a nice afternoon right in the city.

LOYAL True Blues—A social will be held in the Orange Hall, under the auspices of Capital City Lodge, No. 303, on Friday evening, August 17, at 8.30. All members and friends of the Orange Association cordially invited. Proceeds in aid of the maintenance funds of the Loyal True Blue and Orange Home.

QUEEN of the Island whist drive, Orange Hall, 8.30, Thursday, for Orphanage Building funds. Scrip prizes. Meeting 7.30.

REGULAR monthly meeting, Highland Society, Orange Hall, Aug. 15th, 8 p.m. Full attendance of members requested.

WANTED—MALE HELP 2

A CHANCE to learn tractor engineering in time for harvest. Call Monday at 9 a.m., at 810 View Street.

COST ACCOUNTING—The backbone of modern business—offers splendid opportunities and responsible positions at good salaries for expert knowledge. Learn at home from the foremost cost accountant on the continent. Free booklet. Write International Correspondence Schools, Canadian, Limited, Dept. 1433-B, Montreal, Canada. Local office 1321 Douglas Street, Victoria.

GLASS bottle blower, must know business thoroughly. Box 1135, Colonist.

MAKE Money at Home—$15 to $50 paid weekly for your spare time writing showcards for us. No canvassing. We instruct you and supply you with work. Write Angus Showcard Service, 39 Colborne Bldg., Toronto.

WANTED—Man and woman to look after apartment block; reference required. Apply Room 135, Pemberton Blk.

WANTED—A sack sewer. Apply C. Kittle, Ladner, B.C.

WANTED—Two or three smart young fellows to learn auto and tractor engineering. Apply 910 View Street.

WANTED—FEMALE HELP 3

GIRL to assist in housework and care of children. 6449L.

GIRL, as housemaid, sleep in. Phone 5462, after 10 o'clock.

SPLENDID opening for music teacher, near Chilliwack. Box 1066, Colonist. Phone 1331Y.

SALESLADY wanted for mantle room, at once; must be experienced. Apply Angus Campbell & Co., Ltd.

WANTED—Man and women to look after apartment block; reference required. Apply Room 135, Pemberton Block.

WANTED—Young waitress at Metropolis Cafe. Must be experienced.

WANTED—Capable woman, to assist in housework and care of children. Apply Mrs. H. W. Whittome, Quamichan Lake, Duncan.

WANTED—FEMALE HELP 3 (Continued)

WANTED—Experienced waitresses, at once. Brentwood Grill.

WANTED—Experienced nurse, look after one baby and help in light household duties, country, references required. Dunlop, Victoria Private Hospital, Victoria.

WANTED—Girl for light housework, moderate wages. Phone 2108R.

YOUNG women to assist in general housework, sleep out. Apply 1824 Monterey Avenue.

SITUATIONS WANTED—MALE 4

AN experienced gardener wants four half days a week. Phone 5256R.

FENCING, clearing, town or country. Dangerous trees removed. Tree surgery. Phone 6783L1.

GARDEN work done, roses budded, carnations layered, and lawn laid. Phone 3772R.

POSITION wanted by married man, preferably in postoffice, ten years' experience, able to take full charge, best of references; willing to work in store where postoffice attached. Box 1098, Colonist.

WANTED—A position as tutor in private family, elderly gentleman, familiar with French and Latin and mathematics. No objections to going in interior. Would not object to be useful in surroundings while teaching. Address Box 819, Colonist.

SITUATIONS WANTED—FEMALE 5

A LADY with girl, 8, would take charge of children, or help in house mornings for 3 weeks, near water, in return for expenses, interview essential. Box 1140, Colonist.

EXPERIENCED Englishwoman would cook for camp of 12 men; or as kitchen help, hotel or club, where man cook employed. State particulars, wages, outlings. Mrs. Parish, Postoffice, Crofton.

GOOD reliable Japanese lady can offer help as domestic in daily job. Phone 1028X.

LADIES' and gentlemen's repair work. Phone 5488R.

LADY will work mornings for elderly couple, for furnished room. Box 980, Colonist.

SITUATIONS wanted by highly capable nurse, can take infant from 6 month old, also for nursery governess, and several daily and resident helps. Fullest particulars and salaries quoted to representative. Mrs. L., Box 1, Marigold P.O.

WOMAN wants work mornings, 4 or 5 days week. Phone 4332Y.

WOMAN wants work, 6 mornings a week. Phone 3274L.

YOUNG widow requires situation as housekeeper to widower or bachelor. Box 972, Colonist.

EDUCATIONAL 6

B.C. DRAMATIC SCHOOL, Fort Street. Phone 4242. Elocution, deportment, expression.

CROSBY SCHOOL, 1187 Rockland Avenue, Victoria. Junior School for girls. Excellent accommodation for limited number of boarders, from 6 to 12 years old. For particulars apply to the Principal, Miss Outland.

RHODES SCHOOL, 1020 Richardson St. Two courses of study offered: (1) Preparation classes for High School entrance; (2) A special course for older girls. In recent entrance examination all candidates passed. Mrs. Hugh Mackenzie and Miss Margery Little.

SUNSHINE LODGE" College for young citizens, re-opens September 5; boarders return September 4. A co-educational institution offers a balanced education, given based on character development. Prospectus sent on application. H. E. Hollwright, principal, 916 Tolmie Avenue, Victoria, B.C.

SCHOOLMASTER wishes pupils for Summer holidays, ages 8 to 14. Phone 2442R.

SHORTHAND SCHOOL, 1013 Government Street. Business subjects, thorough tuition. E. A. MacMillan, principal. Phone 876.

STROUT-GRAW BUSINESS INSTITUTE. Courses: Commercial, stenography, clerical, higher accounting, collegiate, preparatory, civil service. Phone 38, or write for syllabus. Individual instruction. New Pemberton bldg. New pupils will be accepted each Monday for day school and each Tuesday for night school.

VENTON COLLEGE for girls, 748 Moss Street, Victoria. Primary to matriculation. Excellent accommodation for boarders. Autumn term begins September 7. Headmistress, Miss E. F. Roberts, L.L.A.

WANTED—Young University graduate as master for large residential boys school, on the Coast. Apply Box 1172, Colonist.

MUSIC 7

A COLUMBIA School of Music course offers in singing (Italian method), piano, violin, harmony, theory, elocution. Brilliant successes in Royal Academy examinations; greatest number of honors and largest number of passes of any school in Victoria. The pupils' recitals held every month are open to the public. 1106 Broad street. Phone 7874.

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BANJO, MANDOLIN, GUITAR, and all stringed instruments taught by W. H. Flowright, 1116 Broad street. Phone 1852. Res. phone 1111Y1. Hours, 1 to 9 p.m., Saturdays, 9 to 1.

DR. J. E. HODSON Studio—Singing and piano. 1112 Government Street. 37549.

ERNEST SEMPLE, violinist and teacher. 1218 Mitchell Street. Phone 3747.

MISS NELLIE HIPWOOD, L.O.C.M., teacher of piano and saxophone. Terms moderate. Success assured. Children's teaching a specialty. Studio, 304 Hibben-Bone Bldg. Phone 5096L.

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MISS INA GORDON, teacher of piano and violin. 808 Blanshard Street.

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TO EXCHANGE 8 (Continued)

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MISCELLANEOUS 10

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TO RENT—MISCELLANEOUS 11

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GROCERY store for rent, cor. Quadra and North Park, going concern; trade already established, possession about 1st Sept. Apply 1731 Quadra.

FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS 13

A HICKLING—All instruments in window, 711 Pandora, 13th to 30th, $15; cornet, trombone, horn, violin, mandolin, guitar, clarinet.

ANEMONE Japonica, in 4 sorts, doz. $1.50. Aquilegia, sorts, doz. $1. Auriculas, doz. $1, 100 $5. Delphiniums, doz. 50c, 100 $3. Dracoena Australis, in pots, each 20c. Carnations (Giant Perpetual), doz. $1, 100 $6. Forget-me-not, in two sorts, doz. 40c, 100 $2. Gaiaga Bicolor, doz. $1. Gypsophila, sorts, doz. $1, 100 $8. Hollyhocks, sorts, doz. $1. Iberis, perennial kinds, doz. $1. Nepeta Mussinii, doz. $1.50. Pansies, mixed, doz. 35c; in separate colors, doz. 40c. Primroses, doz. 35c, 100 $2. Penstemon Newbury Gem, doz. $1, 100 $6. Pinks, Alwoodii, in sorts, doz. $2.50; other kinds in variety, doz. $1, 100 $6. Primula Malacoides, 3 in large pots for house, each 75c. Rosemary, doz. $1. Silene Pendula, doz. $1. Stocks, East Lothian White, doz. 35c and 60c. Wallflower, crimson and yellow, doz. 40c, 100 $2. Orders from unknown customers, C. W. G. Janies Simpson, 811 Superior, Victoria, B.C. Phone 1994.

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BARGAIN—W. E. folding hospital cot, with new felt mattress, $9.75. Oddy's, 1415-17 Douglas Street.

BABY buggies, English, cheapest in city, terms if required; repairs, new hoods etc. Brown, 918 Burnsward Rd., Victoria W.

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ENGLISH pram and bassinet, in splendid condition, very reasonable. Phone 7009Y.

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FOR Sale—3 lots of potatoes. What offers? 2708 Graham. Phone 5911L.

FOR Sale—English pram, good condition; two-burner Perfection oil stove and oven. Phone 6843L.

FOR Sale—A ½ h.p. 3-phase motor, nearly new, $35. A. M. Sinclair, Marigold.

FOR sale—Cider press, good as new, cheap. Apply C. Halet, Saanichton P.O., or phone Keating 10Y.

FOR SALE—Wee McGregor saw outfit, good running order with two saws. Mac's Store, Store Street.

FOR Sale, cheap—5-h.p. four-cycle Wolverine marine engine, in first-class order. Apply to 428 Superior St., after 4 p.m.

FOR Sale—Sample suitcases, $1.75, well-made English trunk, $17.50; Win. rifle, .22 repeater, $12.50, drawing sets, $4.50; one-man crosscut saws, $3.75, lady's English riding saddle, $12.50; 8x power prism glass, $27.50; real leather valises, $9.50; auto klaxon horn, $3.50; leather gloves, 75c; playing cards, 35c; boy's bicycle, $9.50; racing bicycle, $25; new outer tires, $1.95; extension handle posts, 75c; pedals, $1.50 per pair; spectacles (a fit any sight), from 25c. Jacob Aaronson's New and Second-hand Store, 561 Johnson St., 4 doors below Government St. Phone 738.

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Foreign News Causes Weakness in Bonds, But Exchange Showed Some Strength

NEW YORK, Aug. 14.—After displaying considerable heaviness through most of the day, bond prices rallied in sympathy with the late upward movement of stocks, and closing prices were somewhat irregular. Weakness of French and Belgian issues again featured the early trading, but a number of those bonds closed above yesterday's final figures, notably Paris, Lyons and Mediterranean 6's, up 2 3-4, and Bordeaux, Lyons and Marseilles 6's, each up 1 1-4. French 7 1-2's were off fractionally, and Belgian 8's declined 1 1-8. United States Government bonds held relatively steady.

Heavy selling of the oil shares, based on the extension of the gasoline price cutting to fifteen Middle-Western and Southern States, unsettled the early part of today's stock market, but a brisk recovery set in towards the close, with net gains exceeding net losses in the final quotations.

Liquidation of the oil shares were accompanied by reports of another imminent cut in mid-continent crude prices, and rumors that some of the smaller refining companies were on the verge of bankruptcy.

New low records were established by thirteen issues, the extreme loss ranging from one to three points. Substantial recovery from the low prices of the day was made in most cases, however, before the close.

Wall Street, apparently, is perplexed by recent developments in Europe.

The reaction of the foreign exchanges, which are generally regarded as a good barometer of the trend of business and political thought abroad, were slightly unfavorable. Demand sterling held steady around $4.56 3-4, but French francs broke to 5.48 cents, another new low for all time, and Belgian francs registered a nominal loss.

Both made partial recovery later, while German marks actually showed a net gain of 13 points on the day, being quoted at 40 cents a million.

The quick recovery in today's market was regarded in many quarters as proof of the market's sound technical position.

Call money opened at 4 3-4 per cent, and then eased off to 4 1-2, where it closed. Time money and commercial paper rates were unchanged, with 5 1-4 per cent the ruling rate.

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Marland Oil	27-3	27-1	27
Max Truck	75-5	72-5	75-5
Am. Beet Sugar	27	27	27
Am. Can. Co., com	91	88	91
Am. Car Fdy.	158	158	158
Am. In Corp.	17-4	17-4	17-4
Am. Locomotive	75-5	71-6	75-5
Am. Smelt & Ref.	56-7	55-5	56-7
Am. Sugar Rfg.	59	58	59
Am. T. & Tel.	123	122-6	123
Am. Wool, com.	55-4	54-3	55-4
Am. Steel Fdy.	34-4	34-2	34-2
Aanaconda Mining	39	38-6	39
Atchison	97	96-1	96-4
Atlantic Gulf	12-2	12-2	12-2
Baldwin Loco	117	112-5	116-3
Baltimore & Ohio	48-3	47-3	46-3
Bethlehem Steel	43-2	42-5	46
Canadian Pacific	144-7	144-7	146-2
Cosden Oil	31-5	30	30-3
Central Leather	16-1	16-1	16-1
Crucible Steel	62-3	60	62-3
Chesapeake & Ohio	59-6	58-4	59-6
Continental Can	42-6	45-2	45-6
Chic., Mil. & St. P.	16-3	15	15
Chic., R.I. & Pac.	21	20-2	21
Cons Gas	61-3	60-2	61-3
Chnlo Copper	17-3	16-6	17
Cal. Petroleum	18-4	18	18-4
Chile Copper	25-7	25-6	25-6
Corn Products	120-1	119	120-4
Erie	13-1	12-5	13-1
Famous Players	72-7	70-3	72-7
General Asphalt	25-6	24-4	25-6
General Electric	175-1	174	175
General Motors	14-1	14-1	14-1
Gt. Nor. Ore	28-7	27-5	28-7
Granby	18-3	18-2	18-2
Gt. Northern, pfd.	54-6	52-6	54-2
Gulf States Steel	73-3	69-4	72
Hollinger	12.40	11.85	12.40
Int. Comb. Eng.	21	20-4	21
Int'l Nickel	12	11-5	11-7
Int'l Mer. Marine	4-7	4-7	4-7
Int'l Mer. Mar., pfd.	19-6	19	19
Kelly Springfield	21-2	20-1	21-2
Kennecott Copper	34	33-4	34
Kan. City Southern	16-4	16-4	16-4
Lehigh Valley	61	60-7	61
Lima	61-4	61	61-4
Miami Copper	24	21	24
National Lead	112-4	112-4	111-4
N.Y., N.H. & Hart.	11-2	11-2	11-2
New York Central	97-4	97-1	97-3
Northern Pacific	56-6	56-6	56-6
Pan "A"	60-4	57-7	60-3
Pan "B"	58-5	55-7	57-7
Pacific Tel.	23-5	23-3	23-3
Pred. & Refinery	29-3	28-1	29-6
Pennsylvania R.R.	43	42-6	43
Phillips Pete	22	21-3	22
Reading	74-6	74-1	74-4
Ray Cons. Mining	10-1	10-1	10-1
Republic Steel	41-1	41-1	41-4
Royal Dutch	43	42-1	43
Southern Pacific	85-6	84-4	85-6
Southern Ry., com.	31-5	31-1	31-5
Studebaker Corpn.	104-6	101-2	104-4
Sloss Sheffield	43	43	43
Stan. Oil, Indiana	50-3	49-7	50-3
The Texas Co.	41-1	40-2	40-6
Tex. P. Coal & Oil	5-5	5-1	5-1
Timken Roller Bear.	37-6	37-5	37-6
Union Pacific	127	125-6	126
Utah Copper	59	58-4	59
U. S. Ind. Alcohol	46-4	44-6	46-4
U. S. Rubber	57-3	56-2	57-1
U. S. Steel, com.	88-6	87-4	88-2
Virginia Chem.	7-7	7-7	7-7
Wabash R.R., "A"	54-3	53-3	53-5
Western Union	108	106	108
Woolworth	210-6	240-6	210-6
Willys-Overland	2-8	2-1	2-2
Westinghouse Elec.	57-5	56-7	57-5
Allied Chem. & Dye	61	60-4	61
Sears Roebuck	73-7	72-4	73-6
Coca Cola	77-3	77-1	77-3
Columbia Graphophone	¾	¾	¾
Chic. & N.W. Ry.	63-2	63-2	63-2
Keystone T. & R. Co.	4-3	4-3	4-3
Nat. Enamel	57-1	57	57
Pere Marquette	41	41	41
Endicott Johnson	69	67-6	68
Trans. Oil	4-7	4-3	4-3
White Motors	49	49	49
Pullman Co.	114-1	111-1	114-1
Chandler Motors	58-3	58-4	58-3
Houston Oil	44	44	44
Cuban Cane Sugar	9-6	9-6	9-6
Stan. Oil of Cal.	50-4	49	50-4
Texas Pac. Ry.	15-2	15-2	15-2
Vanadium	29	28-2	28-2
Middlesates Oil	4-3	4	4-3
Texas Gulf Sulphur	57-6	55-4	57
Montgomery Ward	19-2	19-2	19-2
Midvale Steel	24-2	24-2	24-2
Cuba Oil	14	13-1	13-6
Mexican Seaboard	11-4	10-4	10-4

VICTORIA EXCHANGE

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	Bid	Asked
Athabasca Oil	$	$ .14
Bowena Copper		.06
Boundary Bay Oil	.06¼	.09¾
B. C. Permanent Loan	95.00	
B. C. Fisheries		.16
B. C. Refining Co.		.35
B. C. Silver	.70	
Can. Nat. Fire	50.00	
Cons. M. & S.	26.00	27.00
Cork Province	.03	
C'ow's Nest Coal	43.00	52.00
Douglas Channel		.01¼
Empire Oil	.01	.01¼
Granby	18.00	
Great West Perm.		85.00
Hemlock Gold		.40
Howe Sound	3.75	4.25
Indian Mines	.20	
Int'l Coal		.15
McGillivray	.55	
Nugget		.01¼
Premier Mines		3.00
Rambler Cariboo	.05	.08
Silver Crest	.02½	.03
Silversmith	.35	.45
Spartan Oil	.00¾	.01¼
Standard Lead	.14	.22
Sunloch Mines		.28
Surf Inlet		.28
Stewart Lands		10.00
Trojan Oil	.02¾	.02¾
Utility Oil	.00¼	.00¾
Whalen com.	5.00	
Whalen, pfd		20.00
Wonderphone		.25

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1st Nov., 1923	99.50	100.00
1st Nov., 1924	100.00	101.00
1st Dec., 1927	102.00	103.00
1st Nov., 1933	104.00	105.00
1st Nov., 1934	102.00	103.00
1st Dec., 1937	107.00	108.00
1st Nov., 1943	101.50	102.50
War Loan 5%		
1st Dec., 1925	100.00	101.00
1st Oct., 1931	100.50	101.50
1st March, 1937 (Payable in New York)	101.50	102.50
Add interest accrued to date		
Per $1,000—1923, 1927, 1927 Victories, 11.12.		
Per $1,000—1923, 1924, 1933, 1934 Victories, 15.22.		

NEW YORK COTTON

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	Open	High	Low	Close
Oct.	24.15	24.42	23.83	24.28
Dec.	24.10	24.42	23.87	24.40
Jan.	23.85	24.16	23.44	24.12
Mar.	23.49	24.78	23.50	24.21
May	23.50	24.20	23.42	24.14

NEW YORK EXCHANGE

NEW YORK, Aug. 14.—Sterling exchange irregular at $4.57 for 60-day bills and $4.58¾ for demand. Bar silver, foreign, 63¼.

Canadian dollars, 97 23-32.
France, demand, 5.53.
Lire, demand, 4.29½.
Belgium — Demand, 4.58; cables, 4.58¼.
Germany — Demand, .00004; cables, .000043.
Holland — Demand, 39.27; cables, 39.30.
Norway—Demand, 16.67.
Sweden—Demand, 26.62.
Denmark—Demand, 18.80.
Switzerland—Demand, 18.90.
Spain—Demand, 16.58.
Greece—Demand, 1.89.
Poland—Demand, .00014¼.
Czecho-Slovakia—Demand, 2.93.
Jugo-Slavia—Demand, .0107.
Austria—Demand, .00141¼.
Roumania—Demand, 46.
Argentina—Demand, 33.00.
Brazil—Demand, 10.00.

CANADIAN STERLING

Buying price, $4.68.
Selling price, $4.68¼.

SILVER AND MONEY

LONDON, Aug. 14.—Bar silver 31 1-6d per ounce. Money 3¼ per cent.
Discount rates: Short bills 3 to 3¼ per cent; three months' bills 3 3-16 to 3¼ per cent.

New York Rates

NEW YORK, Aug. 14.—Bar silver 63¼. Mexican dollars 43¼.
Call money steady; high 4¾; low 4½; ruling rate 4¾; closing bid 4½; offered at 4¾; last loan 4½.
Call loans against acceptances 4½.
Time loans firm, mixed collateral, 30-90 days, 5¼; 4-6 months, 5¼.
Prime commercial paper 5 to 5½.

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	Close
Brompton Paper	59
Brazilian Trac.	45-4
Can. Gen. Elec.	100-3
Can. Converters	83
Cons M. & S.	27
Dominion Bridge	64
Dominion Textile	63
L. of Woods Milling	97-6
Atlantic Sugar	15-2
Quebec Ry	18
Hollinger Paper	2-4
Shawinigan	117
Spanish River Pulp	87-4
Steel of Can.	83-4

WORLD'S METAL MARKETS

NEW YORK, Aug. 14.—Copper easy. Electrolytic, spot and futures 14½c to 14¾c.
Tin firm, spot and futures $35.50.
Iron steady, unchanged.
Lead steady, spot $6.50 to $6.75.
Zinc easy, East St. Louis, spot and nearby delivery $6.25.

London Prices

LONDON, Aug. 14.—Standard copper, spot £63 13s; futures £64 12s 6d. Electrolytic, spot £69 10s, futures £70.
Tin, spot £183 2s 6d; futures £184 2s 6d.
Lead, futures £23 15s 3d.
Zinc, spot £31 12s, futures £31 5s.

YESTERDAY'S EXCHANGE

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New York sterling, $4.56-6.
France, 5.48-4.
Lires, 4.27-4.
London bar silver, $1 1-16.

NEW YORK SUGAR

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Close—Aug., 4.20; Sept., 4.17; Oct., 4.13; Nov., 4.09; Dec., 3.93; Jan., 3.88; Mar., 3.88; May, 3.75.

MONTREAL PRODUCE

MONTREAL, Aug. 14.—Eggs up; butter strong, cheese fair.
Cheese—Finest Easterns, 19½c to 20c.
Butter—Choicest creamery, 33 to 34c.
Eggs—Selected, 35c.

NEW YORK SUGAR

NEW YORK, Aug. 14.—Raw sugar, centrifugal, 6.15; refined granulated, 7.90.

BINDERS WILL HUM IN COMING WEEK

Harvesting Will Be Well Underway, Is Report Issued by C.P.R.—Damage Cuts Yield

WINNIPEG, Aug. 14.—Except in the sections where rust and sawfly have wrought havoc, crops throughout the West continue to exhibit satisfactory promise. The weather has been favorable, perhaps a little helpful in retarding rust, says the weekly crop report of the Canadian Pacific Railway.

Labor is now arriving in goodly numbers and is being quickly absorbed, there being a strong demand from Saskatchewan and Alberta.

Before the end of the week binders should be busy in all sections of Manitoba.

Weather in this province the first part of the week was cool with local showers, but on the whole favorable, especially in places where rust is working. All crops show a heavy stand but in many districts the tips of heads of wheat have not filled as expected.

In Saskatchewan there has not been the best of ripening weather but crops are going ahead rapidly and although there has been little cutting, this operation will, with favorable weather, be well under way in one week. If favorable conditions continue to prevail until harvest, the province promises an average or better crop.

"Rapidly approaching maturity," is the general report from Alberta. The crop, as a whole, is as far advanced as the average year, the standing is uniformly good and present indications point to satisfactory yields in all sections of the province.

On the Edmonton and British Columbia railway lines the last week the weather has been clear and warm and entirely favorable for the maturing of grain.

Weather generally throughout British Columbia has been moderately warm and dry, and all varieties of tree fruits are sizing up well, while vegetable and grain crops are in excellent shape. Tomatoes are in semi-ripe condition.

Early apples, plums, peaches and apricots are also being marketed.

	Open	High	Low	Close
Wheat—				
Sept.	100-5	100-6	99-4	99-4
Dec.	104-3	104-4	102-3	103-3
May	109	109-3	108-2	108-4
Corn—				
Sept.	77	77-1	76-3	76-3
Dec.	63-3	63-6	62-5	62-6
May	65	65	61-3	64-3
Oats—				
Sept.	25-6	26-1	25-6	25-7
Dec.	38	38-2	37-7	38
May	41-1	41-1	40-7	40-7

PRESS CRITICAL OF MASON'S REPRIEVE

Demand of Home Secretary Explanation Why Murderer Is Allowed to Escape Death Penalty

LONDON, Aug. 13.—Several newspapers are indignant over the reprieve of Alexander Mason, who was sentenced to be hanged for the murder of Jacob Dickey, the Brixton taxicab driver, and whose sentence has been commuted to imprisonment for life.

The papers demand that Home Secretary Bridgman give his reason to the public for the commutation of Mason's sentence.

It is understood that the legal advisers of the Home Department, after having consulted with the police on the matter, considered that there exists a slender doubt as to Mason's guilt, according to the papers. They declare that this must be the cause, for certainly there was no other reason to justify the commutation, as the crime was particularly cold-blooded and sordid.

Growers' Head Resigns

VERNON, B.C., Aug. 13.—Ordered by his doctors to take a complete rest, as the strain under which he had been working since becoming general manager of the Associated Growers had affected his health, Archie M. Pratt resigned Saturday night, and has left for his home in California. The executive meets this afternoon to name a successor and make plans for the future.

EGGS TOOK DECIDED ADVANCE IN PRICE

Local Market Quotations Went Up About Ten cents Dozen Yesterday—Car of Peaches

The market yesterday saw a decided change in the price of eggs. These have advanced about 10 cents a dozen for the fresh. Storage eggs at 30 cents a dozen, wholesale, have appeared on the market also.

Tomatoes, as a result of the outdoor ripened coming onto the market, have been reduced in price by about 50 cents a crate, wholesale.

A car of peaches arrived yesterday on wholesale row. These were of good quality and suitable alike for table use or for canning.

Oranges were slightly lower yesterday.

In the meat market there was a slight alteration in prices. Bacon and hams advanced somewhat, while mutton and beef were somewhat lower in prices.

The wholesale prices quoted yesterday were as follows:

Butter—	
Cowichan	.53
Comox	.53
Salt Spring Island	.52
V. I. Milk Producers	.52
Imperial, Fresh Creamery	.44
Hollybrook, cartons	.38
Hollybrook, bricks	.37
Buttercup	.35
Alberta	.34
Clover Valley	.34
Dairy, according to quality	.28
Lard—According to size of package	.13
Lard—1-lb. bricks	.15½
Cheese—	
Ontario solids	.24
Ontario twins	.24½
Alberta solids	.23
Alberta twins	.23½
Alberta triplets	.24
B.C. Cream, bricks, per doz.	1.30
B.C. Cream, 5 or 10-lb. bricks, per lb.	.34
McLaren's Cream, doz., small	.90
McLaren's Cream, do., med.	1.80
McLaren's Cream, Stilton 5's	.44
McLaren's Kraft, Swiss 5's	.50
McLaren's Kraft, Can. 5's	.52
McLaren's Kraft, Pimento	.57
Eggs—B.C. New Laid—According to government grade, doz.	.52
B.C. Storage, firsts, per doz.	.50
Fish—	
Haddies, 15-lb. box, lb.	.12
Kippers, 10-lb. box, lb.	.20
Sablefish, fillets, 15's	.19
Codfish Tablets, 24's, lb.	.14
Acadia Codfish, 12½'s	4.60
Acadia Codfish, 20½'s	3.50
New Potatoes—According to size and quality, per ton	25.00
Onions—	
Walla Walla, new, yellow	.03
Less than 100 lbs., per lb.	.04
Vegetables—	
Beans, green	M.P.
Celery, local, per doz.	M.P.
Peas, new green, local, lb.	M.P.
New Beets, per lb.	.02½
New Carrots, per lb.	.03½
New Turnips, per lb.	.03½
New Green Corn, local, per doz.	M.P.
Cauliflower, local	M.P.
Cabbage, crate, per lb.	
Cabbage, per crate per lb.	.04
Less quantities	.03
Head Lettuce, local, per crate	M.P.
Cucumbers, according to size and grade, per doz.	.35 to 1.25
Garlic	.20
Tomatoes—	
Hothouse No. 1	3.00
Hothouse No. 2	2.20
Outdoor	M.P.
Fruits—	
Apples—New	M.P.
Apricots for preserving, box	1.40
Cantaloupes, 36's-45's	5.75
Cantaloupes, 12's-18's	4.45
Cherries, local preserving	M.P.
Grapes, Cal. Malagas, per lug	M.P.
Grapes, Seedless, per lug	3.00
Plums	1.25
Peaches	1.30
Peaches, Elberta preserving, box	1.50
Pears, Bartletts	3.00
Raspberries, local, 24's, per crate	M.P.
Loganberries, per crate	1.50
Blackberries, 24's, per crate	2.00
Honeydew Melons (to arrive)	M.P.
Watermelons, loose, per lb.	.07
Watermelons, crated, per lb.	.08
Oranges—Valencias—	
Gold Elephant, all sizes	5.75
Bunklet, 216's and larger	5.25
252's	5.00
288's	4.50
324's, 360's, special	4.00
Lemons—	
Bunklet	10.00
Choice	9.50
Bananas—	
City, lb.	.11
Crated, lb.	.11
4-basket crates	5.25
Baskets, 1 doz. each	4.50
Grapefruit—According to size—	
California	5.50 6.50
Conob Honey, 24's, per case	7.00
Dates—	
Hallowi, bulk, 1922 crop	.08
Safr, bulk, 1922 crop	.07
Turban, 50(12's (special), per case	7.50
Dromedary, per case	7.00
Camel, 36(10 oz.	2.82
Raisins—	
Calif., cartons 36(1's, c/c	M.P.
Calif., cartons, 12(2's	M.P.
Calif., layers, 30's	M.P.
Malaga Raisins, 30(1's	M.P.
Nuts—	
Almonds, per lb.	.22 .23
Brazils, per lb.	.17 .18
Filberts, per lb.	.21 .25
Walnuts, No. 1	.32 .34
Walnuts, New Manchu	.17 .19

SUGAR

B.C. Refinery—	
White, per hundred	10.15
Yellow, per hundred	9.65

FLOUR

	49-lb. Sack
Purity	$2.05
Maple Leaf	2.05
Royal Standard	2.05
Wild Rose (Pastry)	2.05
Royal Household	2.05
B. & K. Flour	2.05
Five Roses	2.05
B. & K. Pastry	2.05

WHOLESALE MEAT PRICES

No special brands quoted

Pork	.16
Beef, No. 1 Steers	.12
Lamb, Spring	.27
Lard	.18¾ .18¼
Veal	.14 .16
Bacon	.32 .48
Mutton	.19
Hams	.30 .32

FEED

	100 lbs.	Per Ton
Barley	$2.10	$40.00
Gr. Barley	2.20	42.00
Corn	2.40	46.00
Cracked Corn	2.50	48.00
Oil Cake	3.43	67.00
Feed Cornmeal	2.50	48.00
Oats	2.25	43.00

TWO DROWNED WHEN BOAT OVERTURNS

Young Winnipegers Lost Lives at Summer Resort—Their Companions Are Rescued

MINAKI, Ont., Aug. 13.—The drowning of two members of the younger set of Winnipeg occurred here this afternoon when Elizabeth Lang, aged 16, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lisgar L. Lang, and Mount Stephen, only son of Mrs. W. G. Stephen, and a grandson of the late Lord Mount Stephen, lost their lives when a sailboat collapsed.

Two other members of the party, Mary Jukes, aged 16, and Jack Reid, aged 16, both of Winnipeg, made their way to shore after being in the water nearly an hour.

Campers believe Stephen gave his life in an attempt to save Miss Lang. The bodies were recovered tonight.

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ANOTHER DOMINION LOAN COMING

That another Dominion loan is coming is the statement made by Mr. Fielding before the Commons Banking and Commerce Committee.

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LOTI'S STORIES

There are not many books that give me such a feeling of sadness and please me so much as the "Roman d'un Enfant." I have just finished reading it once again, and I cannot get my thoughts of that exquisite little creature, with his subtle feelings, tender and dreamy, wildly ingenious, growing up in an austere household where, according to the custom in old Protestant families, the head of the house read the Bible aloud every evening. A dreamy child, so deeply concerned with trifles, solitary, . . . yet pleasure-loving, his soul afloat, finding in everything around him an air of things that he had seen already. Certainly in this child I see hints of the soul of the author who wrote 'Axlyade' and the "Pecheur d'Islande." I divine in him the causes that one day will give "Loti's little sentences their enormous stir," as somebody has said.

I have observed that he is absorbed in little things, and nothing could be truer. He brings exactness and precision to everything. In art he has the minuteness of the primitive, and it is in this very respect that he expresses better than anyone else the waves of feeling, and of all that which in nature, as in man, is indefinite, profound, mysterious. For, make no mistake about it, to be expressive, even in a dream, nothing is worth quite so much as exactness and sincerity. . . . It is to these two habitual characteristics that he owes the capacity of depicting to us, "in objects and in atmosphere, those dreamy sorrows beyond words which in the waking state one is scarcely able to conceive."

In that grave and simple house at Rochefort, where the very flowers, cultivated by la tante Claire, expressed the satisfactions of duty and the fear of God, Pierre Loti himself was a very wise little Huguenot. I have before me a letter in which he writes confirming those confessions that he has made of his infancy: "Do not imagine me more sensuous or perverse than I am. I assure you that I have told very nearly everything in the book of my childhood. . . ." For a long time he was an extremely pious little boy, a good little Huguenot who looked for edification and exaltation to the Bible, and who offered up his innocent soul, like a young Samuel, to a terrible deity, in the big salon where each evening family prayers were held.

Since he had been taught all that his ancestors had suffered for their religion, he imagined with enthusiasm the assemblies of the Cevennes, and, full of admiration for these pastors in the wilderness, he resolved to become a minister of the Gospel himself when he was old enough. . . .

No literary memories, no learned prejudices, stand between nature and himself. He admits that as a child he never read, and that he had a good deal of scorn for books. In every way he shows "an innate disinclination for print." . . . He has read things themselves, and that is better for a poet than to read in books.—Anatole France, in 1891. Reprinted by The Living Age, from Le Figaro.

The Tombstone competition which was held at the Uplands Golf Club on Sunday, was won by H. E. Hunnings, who holed out at the twentieth. C. Morison, who "died" four feet from the twentieth hole, was second.

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SEIZURE OF LIQUOR CARRIER IS UPHELD

Court Decides Against Mosher, Captured Year Ago When Landing Spirits Off U.S. Coast

NEW YORK, August 14.—Seizure of alien craft hovering about the three mile limit to land liquor cargoes, was upheld today by Federal Judge Woodrough, in Brooklyn.

He directed a jury to return a $20,000 verdict in favor of the Government against the Detroit Fidelity & Surety Company in connection with the seizure of the British vessel Marion Mosher, on July 17, 1922.

The Mosher was off Fire Island, near the three-mile limit, boldly landing liquor from a small boat, it was alleged, when she was captured. On being released, it was charged, she continued business at other points along the coast.

BLUE FUNNEL SHIP ARRIVES FROM EAST

The Blue Funnel steamer Tyndareus, after a fast run marked by fine weather conditions, was in port yesterday morning from the Far East. The vessel brought a little cargo for Victoria, leaving for Seattle on finishing its discharge. She had six cabin and eighty steerage passengers, most of the latter landing here. The former included Dr. Algood, member of the staff of a college at Tungwen, China, with Mrs. Algood; Mr. C. S. West, of Seattle; and Mr. C. M. Varty, for several years manager of the Kaihin Hotel, Kamakura, Japan, with Mrs. Varty, en route to Scotland. Mr. Varty will stop at New York for a time in November as the representative of the Japan Hotel Association to the International Hotel Alliance Conference.

CEDRO GOES UP

The steamer El Cedro, with oil from California, passed up to Vancouver yesterday morning.

SHIPPING INFORMATION

Steamer Movements

SEATTLE, Aug. 14. — Arrived: President Madison, Manulani, Latouche, Frank Lynch, Tacoma;; Tyndareus, Victoria; Alameda, Alaska; Missourian, Tejon, San Francisco; Anvil, Kuskokwim River; barge Henry Villard, Everett. Sailed: M. F. Alexander, Tejon, San Francisco; Manulani, Honolulu.

EVERETT, Aug. 14.—Sailed: Calione, Melbourne; Admiral Dewey, Vancouver, B.C.

TACOMA, Aug. 14.—Arrived: Everett, San Francisco. Sailed: Santa Barbara, New York.

PORTLAND, Aug. 14.—Arrived: El Segundo, San Francisco; Tiger, New York and way ports. Sailed: Sachsen, Hamburg and ports, Eastern Gale, West Coast ports; Commercial Traveller, Seattle.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 14.—Arrived: San Jacinto, Astoria; Maui, Honolulu; Author, Liverpool; W. S. Porter, Astoria; Admiral Goodrich, Portland; F. A. Warner, Coos Bay. Sailed: Franklin K. Lane, Honolulu; Maunala, Honolulu; Bantu, New York.

Arrived

SHANGHAI, Aug. 12.—President Jefferson, Seattle.

NEW YORK, Aug. 14.—President Van Buren, London.

ANTWERP, Aug. 11.—Minnedosa, Montreal.

ALEXANDRIA, Aug. 11.—Tuscania, New York.

Sailed

LIVERPOOL, Aug. 14.—Rig, San Francisco.

NEW YORK, Aug. 14.—Berengaria, Southampton; Frederik VIII, Copenhagen; President Fillmore, Bremen.

NORTHERN RIVER CANYON
As the Stikine Canyon looks to passengers on one of the Harrington Brothers' boats.

AUGUST, 1923
Time of Sunrise and Sunset (Pacific Standard Time) at Victoria, B.C., for the month of August, 1923:

	Sunrise	Sunset		Sunrise	Sunset
1	4.48	7.50	17	5.10	7.34
2	4.49	7.48	16	5.11	7.26
3	4.51	7.47	15	5.15	7.21
4	4.52	7.46	30	5.15	7.19
5	4.54	7.44	31	5.15	7.18
6	4.55	7.42	65	5.18	7.16
7	4.56	7.41	56	5.18	7.14
8	4.58	7.40	54	5.15	7.13
9	4.59	7.38	55	5.21	7.10
10	5.01	7.37	56	5.23	7.08
11	5.02	7.35	57	5.24	7.06
12	5.03	7.33	28	5.25	7.04
13	5.05	7.32	29	5.26	7.02
14	5.06	7.30	30	5.28	7.00
15	5.07	7.28	31	5.55	5.56
16	5.08	7.26			

The Meteorological Observatory, Gonzales Heights, Victoria, B.C.

TRANSPACIFIC MAILS

AUGUST, 1923

China and Japan

President Grant—Mails close August 6, 5 p.m. Due at Yokohama, August 18; Shanghai, August 22; Hong Kong, August 27.
Empress of Asia—Mails close August 9, 5 p.m. Due at Yokohama August 20; Shanghai, August 24; Hong Kong, August 16.
Arabia Maru—Mails close August 14, 5 p.m. Due at Yokohama August 29.
President Madison—Mails close August 15, 5 p.m. Due at Yokohama, August 30; Shanghai, Sept. 4; Hong Kong, Sept. 8.
Empress of Canada—Mails close August 25, 5 p.m. Due at Yokohama, Sept. 5; Shanghai, Sept. 4; Hong Kong, Sept. 8.
Arizona Maru—Mails close August 28, 5 p.m. Due at Yokohama Sept. 10.
President McKinley—Mails close August 30, 5 p.m. Due at Yokohama Sept. 11; Shanghai, Sept. 15; Hong Kong, Sept. 20.
Empress of Russia—Mails close Sept. 5, 5 p.m. Due at Yokohama Sept. 17; Shanghai, Sept. 21; Hong Kong, Sept. 23.

Australia and New Zealand

Niagara—Mails close August 3, 10 a.m. Direct. Due Auckland August 24.
Maunganui—Mails close August 14, 5 p.m. Via San Francisco. Due Wellington Sept. 6.
Sonoma (Australia only)—Mail closes August 25, 5 p.m. Via San Francisco. Due Sydney Sept. 13.
Makura—Mail closes Sept. 1, 10 a.m. Direct. Due Auckland Sept. 21.

TIDES AT VICTORIA
August, 1923.

Day	Time.	H't	Time.	H't	Time.	H't	Time.	H't
	H.M.	Ft.	H.M.	Ft.	H.M.	Ft.	H.M.	Ft.
1	0.15	5.5	4.55	5.7	11.44	5.8	18.05	7.5
2	1.15	6.5	5.00	5.3	12.50	4.3	18.41	5.0
3	2.17	6.1	7.46	5.8	12.54	5.0	20.12	5.1
4	3.20	6.8	9.21	5.7	13.30	5.6	20.55	5.1
5	4.19	4.5	.....	.....	.....	.....	21.57	5.1
6	5.07	5.7	.....	.....	.....	.....	23.00	6.3
7	5.46	3.2	.....	.....	.....	.....	23.55	6.2
8	6.55	2.7	.....	.....	.....	.....	52.15	6.3
9	8.59	2.2	.....	.....	.....	.....	53.57	6.6
10	7.56	1.8	17.42	7.3	18.30	7.5	.....	.....
11	0.53	8.4	8.16	1.8	17.00	7.2	20.15	6.5
12	1.14	8.4	8.56	1.5	18.52	7.2	21.05	6.4
13	2.00	8.6	9.38	1.7	19.42	7.4	21.45	6.4
14	2.49	8.0	10.20	2.1	17.11	7.5	22.48	5.4
15	3.37	7.6	11.02	2.7	17.47	7.0	23.46	4.9
16	5.06	7.1	11.45	3.5	18.55	7.3	.....	.....
17	0.47	4.2	3.56	6.7	13.55	4.4	19.06	5.0
18	1.54	5.4	4.16	6.4	12.08	5.2	19.46	5.5
19	2.55	5.9	9.59	5.6	15.42	6.1	20.28	5.4
20	3.59	2.8	.....	.....	.....	.....	21.09	5.6
21	4.55	2.4	.....	.....	.....	.....	21.55	5.6
22	5.55	2.2	15.54	7.6	17.57	7.4	22.40	5.4
23	5.40	5.1	15.57	7.7	19.59	7.2	23.54	5.2
24	7.24	4.1	16.22	7.8	19.54	6.8	.....	.....
25	0.55	5.5	6.06	2.2	16.44	7.5	20.55	6.4
26	1.28	5.0	6.46	2.5	15.59	7.6	21.15	5.9
27	2.20	7.8	9.28	5.0	15.16	7.6	22.01	5.5
28	3.05	7.4	10.04	5.5	15.45	7.6	22.47	5.1
29	4.00	7.0	10.42	4.1	17.11	7.6	23.33	4.6
30	5.03	5.7	11.18	4.7	17.44	7.7	.....	.....
31	0.24	4.5	6.21	5.4	11.51	5.5	18.20	7.5

The Time used is Pacific Standard, for the 150th Meridian west. It is counted from 4 to 44 hours, from midnight to midnight. The figures for height serve to distinguish High Water from Low Water. Where blanks occur in the tables, the tide rises or falls continuously during two successive tidal periods without turning.

The Height is in feet and tenths of a foot, above the average level of lower Low Water.

Equimalt—To find the depth of water on the sill of the drydock at any tide, add 19.9 feet to the height of High Water as above given.

EXCURSIONISTS HAVE EXCITING EXPERIENCE

Vessel Strikes Rocks in Fog and Passengers Take to Boats —No Casualties

SOUTHAMPTON, Aug. 14.—A party of 250 excursionists on the steamer Princess Ena had an exciting experience early today, when the vessel, in crossing from Southampton to St. Malo, France, struck some submerged rocks in a dense fog. A bad hole was cut in the hull, and a number of passengers were transferred to the lifeboats. However, excellent order prevailed and there were no casualties. The vessel later proceeded under her own steam.

Later, the Princess Ena arrived at St. Malo, with all passengers on board. The eighty passengers who were reported as adrift in lifeboats at noon evidently returned to the ship after the danger was passed.

RESTORER LEAVING FOR PACIFIC ISLE

Cableship Departs Saturday for Vancouver, San Francisco and Mid-Pacific

With Midway Island in mid-Pacific her eventual destination, the cableship Restorer will leave port Saturday. She will go first of all to Vancouver for oil, thence to San Francisco direct to pick up cable from Great Britain, and finally to Honolulu and Midway to spend a few months on cable work.

R.M.S.P. REPORTS

The Dutch steamer Moerdyk, bound for Pacific ports from the continent, is through the Canal and on her way north, according to the agents, Findlay, Durham & Brodie. She sailed from the Canal August 8. Other fleet movements are as follows: The Dinteldyk reached San Pedro August 13, and is there loading for Europe; the Drechtdyk arrived at Rotterdam, August 9; the Loch Goil sailed from the Canal August 3 for Liverpool, and the Loch Katrine left Southampton August 11 for Pacific Coast ports.

SAILOR KILLED

BREMERTON, Wash., Aug. 14.—John Raulph, seaman, was instantly killed, and two other seamen were slightly injured while the battleship Texas was being coaled in the stream here today. Raulph and the two other men were struck by a coal carrier. Raulph being thrown against a capstan. A fourth seaman narrowly escaped drowning when he was knocked from a barge by a coal carrier.

PASSENGER FARES CUT

NEW YORK, Aug. 14.—The Northern Pacific Steamship Company announced today reductions of practically thirty per cent on passenger fares to ports on the west coast of South America. Similar cuts were announced yesterday by the Grace Line, but officials of the company said there was no rate war on. The decreases, it was said, were announced in the hope of stimulating travel.

LOADS AT GENOA

The Argonaut Line steamer Clausens reached Genoa Bay yesterday morning from Seattle to load lumber for New York. Mr. W. Taylor, supercargo for B. W. Greer & Co., agents of the line in British Columbia, was here yesterday on his way to the Bay to look after the ship.

PROSPECTOR REPORTED

The C.G.M.M. steamer Canadian Prospector arrived at Sydney August 10 from British Columbia via New Zealand ports.

ENTERTAINMENT GIVEN AT FULFORD HARBOR

Point Grey Municipality Held Picnic at Ganges — Princess Adelaide Brought Party of Over 600

GANGES, Aug. 13.—About eighty of an audience were present at the Institute Hall on Wednesday evening, when Mr. and Mrs. Jones, with some of their local pierrots gave a variety entertainment at Fulford Harbor.

The programme was practically a repetition of that given by the troupe at Ganges three weeks ago, with the exception of the children's part of the performance, which was cut. As an extra turn, Mrs. Jones gave the "Sheik." Mr. Lowther substituted for the song he sang previously, an imitation of a Bristol working man at a football match. After expenses were paid, $24 were cleared. The troupe included Mr. and Mrs. Jones, Misses Beryl Scott, Nora Johnson, Dorothy Elliot, Kathleen Young, Messrs. Stacey, Lowther and Weatherall.

Excursion Party

On Saturday the Princess Adelaide brought 650 of the Point Grey municipality and their friends on a trip to Ganges. The time on the island was spent principally in the Mahon Hall and the agricultural grounds, where a splendid programme of sports was carried out. There was a football match between the visiting team and Ganges. This resulted in a win for the latter, 2 to 0. The goals were shot by Gibson and Turner. An excellent band accompanied the visitors on their trip from Vancouver.

HOLDING REGATTA AT LANGFORD TODAY

LANGFORD, Aug. 14.—Great enthusiasm is being shown by the campers around Langford Lake with regard to their second annual regatta, which is being held this afternoon at 2:30, the starting point being from the grounds of the Lake Tearooms.

There are nineteen events on the programme, which includes swimming, races for children of all ages, ladies' and gentlemen's swimming races, rowboat and canoe races, comic character stunt on platform or in the water. These latter will be confined to the Langford school children. There is also a fifty-yards' open swimming race for gentlemen, and another for ladies.

The regatta is under the laws and sanction of the British Columbia section of the Canadian Amateur Swimming Association. Splendid prizes have been donated for the successful contestants.

At 9 p.m. there will be a regatta dance in the Langford Lake Tearooms, with music rendered by Zala's orchestra. The committee hopes that there will be a large attendance both the afternoon and evening.

NANAIMO COUNCIL HONORS FOOTBALLERS

NANAIMO, Aug. 14.—The City Council last evening decided to present to the Nanaimo City Football Club a photogravure of the team which took part in bringing back the Connaught Cup to this city.

The Cotton Company, Ltd., which has the contract for paving Fitzwilliam Street from Wallace Street to the E. & N. Railway tracks, wrote the Council stating that it was paying its general labor 50 cents an hour, and other skilled labor in proportion. This the company considered to be as good or better than the general rate being paid in the vicinity for this class of work, and in accordance with their contract. The Council decided, however, that the rate should be $4.75 per day.

The proposed new by-law regarding the closing of butcher shops in the city came up for consideration. There were a large number of butchers present, and after some discussion among themselves the Council decided to defer further consideration of the by-law for one week, to give the butchers an opportunity of coming to an amicable arrangement among themselves.

FIRES AT NANAIMO

NANAIMO, Aug. 14.—A fire at 3.45 this morning did considerable damage to the stock of the Vogue millinery store, on Commercial Street. The brigade made a quick run and soon had the blaze under control. An electric iron, which had evidently been left connected, is thought to have been the cause of the fire. Practically no damage was done to the building, which is a two-story brick block, and is owned by Fire Chief Parkin.

The department was called out at 2:30 Monday morning to a fire in a shed at the rear of Mr. Daniels' home on Milton Street. The fire, which apparently had its origin in an ash heap, was extinguished before much damage was done.

FOOTBALLERS ENTERTAINED

Victorious Nanaimo Team Guests at Pleasant Social Reunion

NANAIMO, Aug. 14.—The members of the Nanaimo City Football Club and a number of invited friends were the guests last evening of Mr. and Mrs. John Hunt, Nicol Street. Mr. James Watson, manager of the team, acted as master of ceremonies, in which duty he was ably assisted by Secretary Fred Hart. The boys may have more formal entertainments to take part in during the week, but none at which they will have more enjoyment than at the party provided for them last evening. The proceedings ended with the singing of "For They Are Jolly Good Fellows" to their hosts, Mr. and Mrs. Hunt.

MARRIED AT NANAIMO

NANAIMO, Aug. 14.—The marriage took place on Sunday afternoon, at the home of Mrs. R. Dickinson, corner Milton and Fitzwilliam Streets, of Miss Ethel McCulloch, of Ladysmith, and Mr. Weston Samuel Stickney, of this city, the ceremony being performed by the Rev. W. J. Agabob, of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church. The bride was attended by Mrs. Dickinson, while Mr. William Bailey supported the groom. Mr. and Mrs. Stickney left yesterday on a honeymoon tour of Mainland cities, and upon their return will take up their residence in this city.

O.S.K. SHIP SAILS

The O.S.K. steamer Arabia Maru sailed for the Orient last night after taking on Japanese steerage passengers and some cargo at the Rithet piers.

Thackeray Musings

D. C. in Montreal Gazette

When Thackeray visited Ulster in the year 1842 he was so much impressed with all he saw and the go-ahead and businesslike capacity of its people that he committed many "thoughts" to paper, which have been handed down to us, and which are worth while reproducing, now that a new six-county Ulster has all the advantages of self-government, with a Parliament of its very own, responsible to the people of the northeast corner. "W. M." wrote under the pen name of "Titmarsh."

"Deathless Verse"

As everyone who is familiar with his works knows that, finding prose inadequate to express his feelings about a certain amusing episode, he chronicled the charms of "Peg of Limavady" in what he himself ironically described as "deathless verse." To prevent jealousy, however, it had better be mentioned that he also found Coleraine was "famed for lovely Kitty." But Peg of Limavady and Kitty of Coleraine, much as they seemed to have impressed him, were not the only attractions of the North of Ireland which appealed to his artistic soul. We herewith make a few selections at random; without detriment to the very excellent collection from that portion of his "Irish Sketches" which deal with the North, and which are as applicable to the present day as they were in Thackeray's time. "They call Belfast the Irish Liverpool," he says. "If people are for calling names it would be better to call it the Irish London at once—the chief city of the kingdom at any rate. It looks hearty, thriving, and prosperous, as if it had money in its pockets and roast beef for dinner; it has no pretensions to fashion, but looks, mayhap, better in its honest broadcloth than some people in their shabby brocade. The houses are as handsome as at Dublin, with this advantage, that the people seem to live in them. They have no attempt at ornament for the most part, but are grave, stout, red brick edifices, laid out at four angles in orderly streets and squares. . . . I have seldom, I think, seen more good looks than among the young women employed in this place—a linen mill. The stranger will be struck by the good looks not only of these spinsters, but of almost all the young women in the streets. I never saw a town where so many women are to be met—so many and so pretty . . . . and one can see splendid shops, which are not to be surpassed by London."

The Docks and Quays

"The docks and quays are busy with their craft and shipping, upon the beautiful borders of the lough—the large red warehouses stretching along the shores, with ships loading or unloading, of building, hammers clanging, pitch pots flaming and boiling, seamen cheering in the ships or loiling lazily on the shore. The life and movement of a port here gives the stranger plenty to admire and observe, and nature has likewise done everything for the place, surrounding it with picturesque hills and water. . . . . The lough of Belfast has a reputation for beauty almost as great as that of the Bay of Dublin. . . . . The town of Belfast seemed to me really as neat, prosperous, and handsome a city as need be seen, and with respect to the inns, that in which I stayed, 'Kearn's,' was as comfortable and well ordered an establishment as the most fastidious Cockney can desire.

Londonderry

Of Londonderry Thackeray says: "Nor does the town itself, as one enters it, belie, as many other Irish towns do, its first flourishing look. It is not splendid, but comfortable—a brisk movement in the streets; good downright shops without particularly grand titles; few beggars. . . . The firms bear the names of the London companies—venerable Cockney titles! It is pleasant for a Londoner to read them, and see how, at a pinch, the sturdy citizens can do their work. The public buildings of Derry are, I think, among the best I have seen in Ireland."

Newry

He was greatly impressed with Newry. "Such a sight of neatness and comfort is exceedingly welcome to an English traveller. . . . . The streets have a businesslike look, the shops and people are not too poor, and the southern grandiloquence is not shown here in the shape of fine words for small wares." At Armagh, Thackeray found that "the cathedral service is more completely performed here than in any English town, I think. . . . . Will it be believed that the sermon lasted only twenty minutes? Can this be Ireland?" Portadown he described as "a brisk little town," and Carrickfergus "rejoices in a real romantic-looking castle, jutting bravely into the sea, and famous as a background for a picture."

Thackeray, like the latter day visitors, seems to have revelled in the beauties of the Antrim coast, which he traversed from Larne, through Glenarm, Ballycastle, Cushendall and round to the Giants' Causeway, Portrush and Portstewart. "The Antrim coast," he says, "besides being one of the most noble and gallant works of art that is to be seen in any country, is likewise a route highly picturesque and romantic; the sea spreading wide before the spectator's eyes upon one side of the route, the tall cliffs of limestone rising abruptly above him on the other."

A Romantic Mood

He must have been in a romantic mood when visiting Glenarm Castle, as witness the following: "The birds were singing with the most astonishing vehemence in the dark glistening shrubberies, but the only sound in the walks was that of the rakes pulling together the falling leaves. There was of these walks one especially flanked towards the river by a turreted wall covered with ivy, and having on the one side a row of lime trees that had turned quite yellow, while opposite them was a green slope, and a quaint terrace stair, and a long range of fantastic gables, towers, and chimneys—there was, I say, one of these walks which Mr. Cattermole would hit off with a few strokes of his gallant pencil, and which I would fancy to be frequented by some of those long-trained, tender, gentle-looking young beauties whom Mr. Stone loves to design. Here they came talking of love in a tone that is between a sigh and a whisper, and gliding in rustling shot silks over the fallen leaves. . . . . If the road from Larne to Glenarm is beautiful, the coast route from the latter place to Cushendall is still more so, and except peerless Westport, I have seen nothing in Ireland so picturesque as this noble line of coast scenery."

A Sensation of Awe

The Giants' Causeway gave him a sensation of awe. "It looks like the beginning of the world, somehow; the sea looks older than in other places, the hills and rocks strange and formed differently from other rocks and hills—as these vast dubious monsters were formed who possessed the earth before man. . . . The biggest of your worlds cannot render the hues and vastness of that tremendous swelling sea, of those lean solitary crags standing rigid along the shore where they have been watching the ocean ever since it was made. . . . of yon flat stretches of sand where the Scotch and Irish mermaids hold conference." Portrush was "a sheltered nook of the world," where "one would fancy all the tenants of these pretty snug habitations have nothing to do but to be happy." In the present peaceful state of the new Ulster a considerable impetus has been given to tourist development in that particular part of Erin's island.

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" 8:42 " Blackwood " 4:48 "
" 8:47 " Parson's Bridge " 4:40 "
" 8:53 " Colwood Hotel " 4:35 "
" 8:57 " Colwood Village " 4:32 "
" 9:03 " Glen Lake " 4:27 "
" 9:06 " Happy Valley " 4:21 "
" 9:08 " Highway Crossing " 4:19 "
" 9:16 " Metchosin " 4:14 "
" 9:25 " Rocky Point " 4:05 "
" 9:36 " Hutchinson Cove " 3:53 "
" 9:45 " Sassenos " 3:45 "
" 9:51 " Mills's Landing " 3:39 "
" 10:15 " Lake Cowichan " 3:15 "
" 10:21 " Sooke Lake " 3:09 "
" 10:51 " Shawnigan Beach " 2:39 "
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" 11:24 " Deerholme " 2:06 "
" 11:27 " Deerholme Lumber Co. " 2:03 "
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Through Wonderland on a Bicycle

—By HAROLD DAVENPORT—

Leaving Oak Bay on the morning of Sunday, July 1, at 7 a.m., in glorious sunshine, we started on our trip by bicycle to Campbell River.

We carried the absolute minimum of articles necessary to life, in packs upon our backs. Our outfit consisted of one blanket each, soap, towel, toothbrush and paste. This, with the necessary grub and an old Army mess tin, was found ample for all our needs. We both carried cameras and used up six rolls of films each.

The still sleeping city was soon left behind and we peddled along at a good speed along the fine paved road bordering the mirror-like Gorge. Passing Langford Lake at 8 o'clock, we shortly afterwards reached Niagara Canyon, at the foot of the Malahat.

We walked in to see the waterfall, but found a very small trickle of water coming over.

Then the long climb to the Summit commenced, which we reached by partly walking and partly riding. Reaching the Hamsterley Look-out at 10, we stopped for some cooling ice cream and then started the long coast down the other side. However, when we had gone about three-quarters of a mile we had to dismount owing to the brakes becoming too hot. Walking the rest of the way down, we then passed Millstream at 11:05, and reached Cobble Hill at the same time as the E. & N. train. Taking the old road past Cowichan Station, we pushed on to Duncan, where we stopped for lunch and a rest. We left there at 2:40, with Nanaimo River as our objective. It was now quite hot and we discarded our sweaters, rolled up our shirt sleeves and tucked our caps away out of sight.

Steady Progress

The roads were good and making good time we soon passed the beautiful Chemainus River. Arriving at Ladysmith at 5:20, we regaled ourselves with two pints of cold milk each. Feeling much better, we again started, but struck some very rough roads. Indeed we were heartily glad to see the bridge over the Nanaimo River appear in sight. Riding along the bank, we selected a spot for the night's camp, well pleased at having covered our first 77 miles. Supper having been satisfactorily disposed of, we tried our luck at fishing, but, as usual, they weren't biting. So after a good-night smoke, we turned in. Evidently, the mosquitoes didn't think we needed any sleep, for they were most attentive. Finally, becoming "fed-up," I arose at dawn and smoked to keep them away. John slept peacefully on, for they didn't worry him at all.

Breakfast over, we cleaned up camp and started on our way, meaning to reach Qualicum that night. Having mailed cards in Nanaimo we left the Coal City, but, sad to say, took the wrong turning. Finally, after climbing a hill that seemed at least three miles long, we came back to the main road. Numerous cars passed this day (Dominion Day), being on their way to the sports at Parksville. As we reached Englishman's River it started to rain, so we parked for awhile under the bridge there. We whiled away the time fishing, but had the usual luck. The skies having cleared, we mounted our wheels again, being passed by friends from Victoria who gave us a vociferous greeting.

Some Inconveniences

Reaching Qualicum Beach, we made our way to the general store, and bought some food. Then the rain just smoked down, so we found an old shack and made ourselves comfortable. After a much-needed wash we cooked supper on the old rusty stove. Intending to shut the front door before retiring we found the door was non-existent. So we just thanked Province for the roof over our heads and went to bed.

Next morning the skies were still threatening, but we decided to push on and chance it. However, it turned out a fine day and the roads were the best yet. The scenery was magnificent, the trees lining the roads on both sides, making it nice and cool riding. We were both now quite broken in and the weight of the packs wasn't even felt.

Lunching at Union Bay, we made good time, arriving at Courtenay at 2:35. In this clean little town we had the most excellent strawberries and cream, most real cream, thick and yellow. Feeling much refreshed we decided to push along and try to make Oyster River. We now passed through burnt Merville, and what a sight! Ten miles of isolation, reminding one very much of shattered France. Not a tree, not a stream, just the endless procession of charred stumps and the unending stretch of white road. However, one man was showing his faith by taking off a crop of hay even in that wilderness.

Campbell River Falls

Reaching Oyster River we decided it looked inhospitable and thought it would be better to keep going. So after some rough riding over gravelly roads we arrived at the town of Campbell River and went to the Willows Hotel. There we had the luxury of a hot bath, and never was a bath so refreshing before. Having "done" the town we turned into a real bed and slept the sleep of the just.

Next morning, the 4th of July, we thought we would ride the odd eight miles to the Falls before breakfast, so in bright sunshine, we started out and soon reached the cut-off from the main road. The sign then told us it was one-half mile to the Falls, so we rode into the gloomy woods. The timber here is very tall and straight, the country appearing never to have been logged-off. We rode over two miles along the narrow road and thought we must have missed a turning, when suddenly we came out right above the Falls. Scrambling down the steep bank to the river, we stood still in wonder at the truly wonderful sight before us. The roaring waters tumbled about in their haste to get over the brink and take the big drop down below, where they were lost in the clouds of spray. Away down to the left the eye could distinguish the now peaceful river winding on its way again. The spray rose over the tops of the tall trees that grew all around the edges of the Falls. Indeed, in the short time required to take a photograph at the edge our cameras got quite wet. This was a fitting climax to our journey north.

We had breakfast on the rocks bordering the river and then "shot" a roll of films each. Coming back to the main road, we oiled up and overhauled "our gallant steeds" for the journey down. With light hearts we started back to the city of sunshine, which seemed a good distance away then. Having bought food at the town of Campbell River, we left there at 12 noon, and just after leaving had our first and only puncture. However, the sea was handy, enabling us to quickly find the hole in the tire, and we were soon on our way once more.

Stopping at Oyster River for a drink of water, we got talking to an old pioneer of the country there. He said he had lived alone up there for the last 32 years, and said he was very contented. Truly the simple life.

All along the Merville road there grows the most luscious blackberries, and we did full justice tothem. Snapping the cenotaph just outside the town, we again entered Courtenay. Once more we had our strawberries and cream, having disposed of a huge meal beforehand. Courtenay is the cleanest town north of Victoria, and fits in very naturally with the smiling valley in which it lies. Continuing on our way, we made camp at Royston, and the garage owner assured us it was all right if we slept under his garage that night. It now started to rain, but we were dry and comfortable, so, hoping for a fine tomorrow, we turned in.

A Moist Country

The next morning it was still raining, so we decided to wait till it cleared, for we were not provided for wet weather. Mr. Sillence, of the Royston general store, turned over his garage to us, and provided us with a deck of cards. We whiled away the time playing "Rummy," and incidentally, blessing the weather man. He must have heard us, for late in the afternoon the skies cleared. So we walked down to the wharf and took pictures of Comox spit, about four miles distant across the water. Our kind friend invited us to tea at his house and we did enjoy it, though we felt very disreputable, not having shaved for some days.

When we arose the next morning the sun was on the job again, and we made an early start. We were feeling very fine after our enforced rest of the day before and we just slated along, giving a "rendering" of "Mr. Calligher and Mr. Shean." We again passed through the wooded country, and the air was very invigorating. The perfume which the sun distilled off the rain-washed pine trees was fragrant and truly sweet-smelling. Reaching Qualicum at noon, we lunched on the beach there and, then we were away for Nanaimo.

Ah Accident

A quick run along good roads brought us to Englishman's River, where we took photographs, but didn't waste time in fishing. Through Nanoose Bay and then to Jack's Hill, where it happened. The frame of my bike, which had been broken and welded before, parted in two. However, the B. C. Telephone Co. truck was right there and the men very quickly wired it together again. Riding very cautiously, we reached Nanaimo at 4 in the afternoon and I left my wheel in the repair shop.

Proceeding on foot to a friend's house, we were made very welcome and that night slept in a real, honest-to-goodness bed again. Next morning I didn't get my bicycle till late, so we made a late start for once. We made good time along the paved road, however, and had the Malahat in view for the end of the day's journey. The weather was gloriously hot and we soon arrived at Chemainus River, where we stopped for lunch. This river is very beautiful and made an ideal spot for our rest.

Hospitality

Coming to Duncan, we had some light refreshments, and then on our way again. We reached the foot of the Malahat, 25-mile post, and decided to stay the night there. We parked near an old shack and cooked supper on the roadside. Having lit our pipes, we felt at peace with the world and held quite an impromptu concert. Logging operations were being conducted near at hand and the men were going there for water. They offered us a cot for the night. We accepted with thanks and assured ourselves that our good luck was still with us.

Early in the morning we were away on the last lap of our journey. The Malahat was covered with fog and it was dismal and damp riding. However, we soon reached the Summit and then the fine ride down the other side, and out of the fog into the sunshine. Passing Langford, we reached the paved road and then entered the city. We rode up the side streets to avoid being seen by any of our good friends coming out of church. Finally we reached home again at noon, in time for the welcome dinner. Having bathed and removed the week's growth of "fuzz," we felt our wonderful outing was really over.

We both agree that this has been the best holiday yet, and it is the best way to see our wonderful island. The scenery beggars description and on a bicycle one can appreciate it to the utmost. The roads were good and we covered the 400 odd miles with little effort. Many fine touring cars passed us with be-goggled passengers, but they excited no envy in us. Indeed, all being well, next year we intend to see the country up to Alberni by the same mode of travel.

Sunburned, tired, but contentedly happy, we both join in saying we had the ideal holiday, on the ideal island, in the ideal way.

FOREST SITUATION STILL HAZARDOUS

Many More Outbreaks Reported in Vancouver District—Much Worse Last Year, However

The forest fire situation is still hazardous, according to the official report issued yesterday by Assistant Chief Forester R. C. St. Clair.

Forty-six new fires have been reported during the past week in the Vancouver district, which includes Vancouver Island and the Lower Mainland. There have been 343 fires in this district so far this year. Prince Rupert, which is placed second, has had 141.

So far this year there have been 874 fires all over the Province, as compared with 1,915 for a corresponding period last year.

TELEPHONE WIRES TANGLED BY GULLS

Mr. Lindley Crease Takes Kiwanians Back to Early Days of Telephone in Victoria—Traces Growth

A glimpse of the telephone's pioneer days in Victoria, when the sea gulls used to tangle the wires overnight where they hung across James Bay in a 600-foot span, necessitating work by the linesman each morning in order that the system might be placed in working order for the day, was given the members of the Kiwanis Club yesterday by Mr. Lindley Crease, K.C., in an address at the club's weekly luncheon in the Dominion Hotel on the development of telephonic service in British Columbia.

The son of Sir Henry Crease, member of the first assembly in British Columbia, Attorney-General for fifteen years and later Supreme Court judge, it was particularly appropriate that Mr. Crease should speak of the early days, said the president, Kiwanian Kenneth Ferguson.

The speaker took his audience back to the time of the invention of the telephone in 1876, by Graham Bell. The first telephone was installed here in 1877, and was looked upon as a curiosity. The transmitter and receiver were combined.

The late Mr. R. B. McMicking secured the British Columbia agency for the Bell telephone, and two telephones were sent to him. One he installed in his house and the other in the office of The Colonist. Telegraph wires were being used for part of the distance between the two places. People were amused but skeptical. In 1878 The Colonist drew attention to the marvellous fact that it was possible for two people, fifteen miles apart, to make themselves heard, and later it was pointed out that whistling and singing could be transmitted.

Early Development

Under Mr. McMicking the telephone became of practical use here. A line was established between Victoria and Esquimalt, being operated by the Victoria & Esquimalt Telephone Company, which was formed in 1880 with a capitalization of $10,000. As the nickel had not found its way here in those days, the company used a disc token with which its patrons paid for calls.

In 1880 there were fifty telephone subscribers here, and some of them still retain their old numbers. The first long-distance line on the Island was that between Victoria and the Brackman-Ker mill in North Saanich.

Victoria was a long way ahead of the times in regard to telephone development, said Mr. Crease. He referred to the times when the telephone wires were stretched across James Bay in a span of 600 feet, where the Causeway now is. The sea gulls used to tangle the wires, and it was the linesman's duty to untangle them in the morning for the day's business. The suggestion that additional poles be placed on the bridge was finally adopted. The use of high poles finally became general, long, straight cedar sticks, eighty feet in length, and cut in Saanich, were set up. Linesmen had to "shinny" up them like schoolboys and work at the top without the aid of belts.

Victoria In Van

Before Vancouver existed, Victoria had a good telephone system, and was the third city in Canada to use a common battery switchboard. The B.C. Telephone Company was formed in 1903. In 1904 telephone connection with the Mainland was secured through a cable. Mr. Crease said he had been told that a tree falling on the telephone wires at the Oak Bay junction had once caused a fire in the telephone office in Bellingham.

There were more telephones per capita in British Columbia than anywhere else in Canada, pointed out the speaker. The B.C. Telephone Company did remarkably well in maintaining such an excellent service in such a rugged country. In 1905 it had 3,000 telephones in the Province, and this year it had 73,000. In six years the increase here had been seventy-five per cent, while in Duncan and Nanaimo it had been 100 per cent. The company now has forty-four exchanges and sixty buildings.

Referring to the fact that men with but small capital, but vision and initiative, had been instrumental in the development of the telephone in British Columbia, Mr. Crease declared that opportunities such as this still existed and should be sought out and taken advantage of.

President Ferguson thanked those Kiwanians who journeyed to Chemainus last week and put on a minstrel show in aid of the hospital there.

The gathering greatly enjoyed two vocal solos by Mr. L. U. Conyers, who was accompanied by Mr. Chris. Wade.

FORESTERS ARRANGE FOR LABOR DAY DANCE

Anniversary Event of A.O.F. Will Be Given at Drill Hall—Committees Named for Carrying It Out

At a meeting held in the Ancient Order of Foresters' Hall, Monday night, it was decided to again stage another anniversary dance in the Drill Hall on Labor Day. The following committees were struck under the chairmanship of Mrs. Denyus:

Finance—Brother James Torrance, chairman; A. G. Wagg and C. Holman; music—Messrs. Veitch and White; floor—Messrs. Torrance, Johnson, Veitch, C. Holman, A. G. Wagg; advertising and ticket—Messrs White, R. Holman, P. J. Davis, and J. W. Willis, honorary secretary; reception and refreshment, members of ladies' courts. Dancing will be from 9 to 1, and the music committee will endeavor to secure the best orchestra possible. Arrangements will be made with the B. C. Electric Railway if possible, for late cars to all parts of the city.

As the B.C. Championships are being held the same day, a great many of the outside athletes will have the opportunity of dancing on the largest floor space in B.C.

All the courts on the Island will be invited, and everything points to the anniversary dance, opening the season, to the largest crowd ever seen in the Drill Hall.

The committee will meet again next Friday evening at 8 o'clock in the A.O.F. Hall, to further the arrangements and arrange the necessary advertising.

ESTIMATE OF COST PROVES TOO HIGH

Esquimalt Council Cannot Afford to Spend Thousand Dollars in Fixing Civic Grounds

While the members of the Esquimalt Council are anxious to have the property in front of the Municipal Hall improved and cleaned up, they are not willingly to incur an expenditure of $1,000 on that work, it became known Monday night when the suggestion, advanced at a previous meeting by Councillor Dent regarding the land in question was discussed.

The matter was brought before the Council when Municipal Engineer H. F. Bourne, to whom the suggestion was referred to at the last meeting for report on the cost of the proposed work, submitted an estimate of how much the suggested improvement would likely amount to. The engineer said that the cost of grading, filling, excavating to grade, covering with loam, planting grass seed, etc., would amount to about $1,000, and if the Council wished to seriously consider doing this work, Engineer Bourne pointed out that it would be necessary to cross section the same in order to arrive at a more exact figure.

The engineer's estimate took the Council by surprise, and it was several minutes before any of the councillors spoke. Councillor Dent said that he did not intend that the Council should spend any large sum like $1,000, but what was in his mind when he made the suggestion, he said, was that the vacant land lying in front of the Municipal Hall could be cleaned up a bit, without any expensive improvements being made.

Councillor Mesher contended that the grounds should be tidied up, and if the changes could not be made all at one time, then the work should be done gradually. At Councillor Nicol's suggestion, the engineer was instructed to bring in a further report, with the cost of the work reduced and the nature of the work being more of cleaning up than improvements.

The Council granted Assistant Fire Marshall Herbert B. Dawley's request for additional equipment, and instructed the engineer to obtain the supplies necessary for the municipal fire wagon.

On the motion of Councillor Mesher, the Council extended permission to the Social Service League to hold a tag day in Esquimalt Municipality on Saturday, October 6.

Mrs. P. Comerford wrote the Council, complaining about the sidewalk on Esquimalt Road, between the Rex Theatre and Comerford Street. She said that the sidewalk was in a dangerous condition, and was not in the proper line. The Council authorized Engineer Bourne to see that the sidewalk was put in satisfactory shape.

In the absence of Clerk Pullen, who is at present on his annual vacation, Engineer H. F. Bourne acted as secretary at last night's Council meeting.

MOVE TO END HALF-HOLIDAY ACT HERE

Alleged Seventy-Five Per Cent of Downtown Merchants Opposed to Present Conditions

Seventy-five per cent of the downtown retail stores of Victoria favor elimination of the weekly half-holiday and the adoption of some other arrangement providing for full business hours during the week without hardship to employees, Mr. H. O. Kirkham, president of the Retail Merchants' Association, told directors of the Chamber of Commerce on Monday.

Mr. Kirkham stated that storekeepers in the suburban district were opposed to any change in the present arrangement by an approximately equal percentage. The directors had communications before them from the Retail Merchants' Association and the Retail Group of the Chamber of Commerce, supporting Mr. Kirkham, and it is probable that in the near future some move will be made for amendment or repeal of the Weekly Half-Holiday Act. An effort may be made to have the measure controlled by local option.

The directors decided to invite Mr. C. J. Yorath, city commissioner of Edmonton, to address a meeting here in the near future on the question of municipal administration.

Mr. J. A. Griffiths, chairman of the Agricultural Development Group of the Chamber, introduced the question of greater display for agricultural products of Vancouver Island, and suggested that arrangements be made for a permanent exhibition at some suitable place in Victoria. The C.P.R. will be asked to set aside space in the new office building for such an exhibit and the Chamber will also place exhibits in its auditorium.

GASOLINE PRICE WAR CONTINUES

CHICAGO, Aug. 14.—Reductions in gasoline prices, begun when Governor W. H. McMaster, of South Dakota, ordered State highway supply depots to sell gasoline at sixteen cents a gallon, assumed a national aspect today, when price cuts announced by the Standard Oil Conipany, of Indiana, and Kentucky and independent producers became effective in mid-Western and Southern States.

Gasoline today was selling at 15.4 cents in Chicago, 14¼ cents in Omaha, 15.9 cents in Kansas City, 12 cents in Louisville, Ky.; 11 cents in Dallas and 13 to 16 cents in other parts of Texas, with prices in other sections affected by the reductions, varying according to freight rates.

Ontario's Blue-Sky Legislation Dormant

TORONTO, Aug. 13.—The Toronto Star says today that the Ferguson provincial government has given consideration to the proclamation of the "blue sky" law, passed by the last Ontario legislature, and has decided not to put the act into force.

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Bathing Suits in navy, trimmed with white, red and orange. Sizes 8 to 13 years at ... **95¢**

—Children's, 1st Floor

Tricolette Blouses

Special at $2.98

New Style Tricolette Blouses, a fine weave material in shades of orange, black, fawn, yellow, pink. They are made in over-blouse style, with short sleeves and trimmed with fancy silk braid, embroidery or tinsel. On sale at **$2.98**

—Blouses, 1st Floor

Wednesday Specials in the Knit Underwear Section

Dr. Denton's Sleepers, for either boys or girls; an excellent wool mixture. They are designed to cover the little folks from head to toe, and made for the ages of 1 to 10 years. Priced according to style and size, $1.50 to **$2.50**

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Women's medium weight Vests, with low neck, short or no sleeves, or long sleeves. They have wide or narrow shoulder straps, slip-over style or button fronts. Sizes 36 to 40. Special at ..... **85¢**

Women's medium weight Bloomers, with elastic band at knee, and big gusset. Sizes 36 to 40, for ..... **75¢**

Women's Zimmerknit Bloomers, with elastic band at knee and double gusset. Flesh, white, sky and black. Sizes 36 to 40. Special at ..... **75¢**

—Knit Underwear, 1st Floor

Floor Oilcloth

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10 Dozen Negligee Shirts to Clear at Each, 89c

Men's Print Negligee Shirts, made with soft double cuffs and starch neckband. They are patterned in fancy stripes, and offered in various sizes. A few with turn-down collar attached, and soft double cuffs. A bargain at, each ... **89¢**

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—Drapery Department, 2nd Floor

Men's Fur Felt Hats

Special at $2.95

We are clearing all our odd lines of Men's Fur Felt Hats at this very low price in order to make room for Fall stock. The hats in new shapes and in shades of fawn, green, dark grey, with welted or bound edges. Sizes 6⅝ to 7½. On sale at **$2.95**

—Men's Hats, Main Floor

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These Art Rag Rugs are of wool cloth, and are most serviceable for bedside or hearth. Shown in a dark rose shade that is very attractive. Sizes 26 to 52, and big value at, each, **$1.50**

—Carpets, 2nd Floor

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